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SUMMARY.

The latest news received in Petrograd, Vienna, and Rome emphasises the far-reaching effect of the Russian victories.

Four divisions of the Austrian reserves in the Trentino, it is stated, have started for Galicia.

The Austrian front has been completely broken for a length of 90 miles to a depth of 60 miles.

General Brussiloff's troops have crossed the Styr, both above and below Lutsk, and are fighting and pursuing the enemy.

The Russians have also entered Buczacz, on the Strypa, and are developing their offensive along the Dniester.

The total captures by the Russians are now 200 officers, 22,000 men, and numbers of guns.

It is reported that the Austrians have evacuated Dubno, and that the Russian vanguard is now within 20 miles of Lemberg.

The enemy's losses are estimated at between a fourth and a third of his original effective of 600,000.

An Austrian communique claims that Russian attempts to cross the Styr, at two places, failed.

The survivors from the cruiser Hampshire met with terrible experiences. Ten of the rescued men are now recovering.

Admiral Sir John Jellicoe reports that it is now established that the cruiser Hampshire struck a mine.

The explosion occurred shortly before 8 p.m. and the cruiser sank in ten minutes.

Beyond the twelve survivors who came ashore on the raft, all hope, it is stated, must be abandoned.

It is reported that Lord Kitchener and his staff got clear of the wreck, but the ship's boat was swamped by the terrific sea.

The late Lord Kitchener's proposed visit to Russia was known in England and Scotland.

Twenty-five thousand people attended the Kitchener memorial service outside Johannesburg Town Hall.

King Constantine has signed an order for the demobilisation of 12 classes of the army, comprising 150,000 men.

The naval measures taken by the Allies in regard to Greece are described as merely a restriction of commerce.

A Saturday night communique states that there have been bombardments on all sections of the Meuse.

Several attacks made on the French positions at Hill 304 completely failed before the French machine-gun fire.

Sir Douglas Haig reports that there has been considerable artillery activity on the British front.

Fighting of extreme violence continues On the Sette Comuni plateau, on the Italian front.

Desperate Austrian attacks were repeated, but repulsed.

At the end of the day the Italians fell back 150 yards to avoid the enemy's incessant fire.

General Scouts has cleared the enemy from the Pare mountains, in East Africa.

A meeting of the Irish party in Dublin accepted a Home Rule solution. The scheme excludes six Ulster counties.

Mr. Justice Charles Evans Hughes has been nominated by the Republican party for the United States Presidency.

The Progressives nominated Mr. Roosevelt, who has suggested Senator H. C. Lodge as a compromise candidature.

Mr. Justice Hughes has resigned from the Supreme Court. This indicates that he intends entering the field.

The verdict of the liquor referendum on Saturday was an absolute majority for 6 o'clock on the first count.

Out of a total of 1,076,000 electors in New South Wales slightly more than 50 per cent. exercised their vote.

Nine o'clock received 168,162 votes and 8 o'clock came next with 20,102. Ten o'clock was last in preference with 1494.

Up to 1 o'clock yesterday 522,881 votes had been already counted.

So far as the counting has gone 6 o'clock has secured 325,121 votes out of a total of 522,881.

The informal votes are considered officially to be small in view of the complexity of the preferential system of voting.

Mr. J. H. Cann stated yesterday that he expected that 6 o'clock would be the hour chosen.

Formal gazettal, he said, was all that was necessary before the new hour of closing was put into effect.

Mr. Edwin Stocks stated he was surprised at the very large vote in favour of 6 o'clock recorded in the country.

The Bingara by-election on Saturday resulted in a substantial win for Mr. McDonald.

With only two small returns to come the figures yesterday were:—McDonald 2945, McClelland 2253; informal, 52.

The New Zealand Military Service Bill has passed the third reading by 44 votes to 4.

The result was received with loud cheering and singing of the National Anthem.

The recruiting for last week at Victoria Barracks was even poorer than the week before.

The cold storage bandy in the metropolitan area who cleared work on June 2 are still idle.

A Te Deum for the British naval victory was sung at St. Andrew's Cathedral yesterday.

More Gallipoli losses are announced in the fifth list of casualties issued on Saturday.

One hundred and fifty deaths are recorded, the greater number having occurred in action.

Rabbits are making rapid strides on the Upper Paterson and Allyn rivers. Drastic action is being urged.

The hearing of the grocers' dispute was resumed before Mr. Justice Powers, in Adelaide, on Saturday.

The industrial trouble caused by the strike of engine-drivers at Cobar was settled on Saturday morning.

All the mining companies have agreed to a 9s a day increase, any arbitration award to be prospective.

A stoppage of work, due to dissatisfaction with a recent award, is threatened by the metallic employees at Port Kembla.

The electrolytic works at the present time is providing copper for munition purposes.

The trouble at Mount Morgan mine has been satisfactorily settled, the men agreeing to continue work under the present conditions.

Nearly 2000 children took part in a children's recruiting march in Brisbane on Friday.

French troops now in Sydney will be inspected by brigadier-General Ramaciotti in the Domain to-day.

A number of meetings under the auspices of the State Recruiting Campaign will be held during the week.

The centenary of the Botanic Gardens is to be celebrated to-morrow.

Memorial trees are to be planted by representatives of the Empire and of the Allies.

Mr. J. A. Perkins, Cooma, will submit his name as a Progressive candidate for the Cooma electorate.

The death has occurred in New Zealand of Te Amerikan, aged 70 years, who for 20 years lived with Maoris in the bush.

All the 76 targets at the Randwick rifle range were in use on Saturday afternoon.

The light was decidedly bad, and as a consequence the scores suffered at the longer ranges.

Business was very quiet on the Stock Exchange in investments. Very few transactions were recorded.

In the Mining market there was a strong tone, and increased activity in Black Range shares.

With the usual small Saturday yarding prices were slow at the railway auctions. Values were slightly easier.

Bunch vegetables were unchanged. Good business was done in potatoes at firm values.

Forecast:—Still unsettled, with further showers and thunderstorms; some fog in western districts; mild northerly wind.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of PATRICK DOWNING, late of Cowra, in the State of New South Wales, and of the Australian Imperial Expeditionary Forces on Active Service, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to the PUBLIC TRUSTEE; and all persons having claims against the said Estate must render same in detail to the PUBLIC TRUSTEE on or before the 12th day of July, 1916. T. W. GARRETT, Public Trustee, Culwulla-chambers, Castlereagh street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of ARTHUR BARNES, late of Allison-road, Randwick, in the State of New South Wales, and of the Australian Imperial Expeditionary Forces on Active Service, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof, that Probate of the Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to the PUBLIC TRUSTEE, the Executor named in the said Will, and all persons having claims against the said Estate must render same in detail to the PUBLIC TRUSTEE, on or before the 12th day of July, 1916. T. W. GARRETT, Public Trustee, Culwulla-chambers, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of WILLIAM HENRY SMITH, late of Auburn, in the State of New South Wales, Jockey, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that the Second Accounts in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Elizabeth-street, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said Estate, or being otherwise interested therein, are hereby required to come in before me at my said office on or before the twentieth day of July next, at 12.30 o'clock in the afternoon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit, object thereto; otherwise if the said accounts be not objected to, the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. And notice is hereby also given that on the allowance of the said Accounts by the Court, commission will be applied for on behalf of the Executors. Dated this tenth day of June, A.D. 1916. H. C. MONDAY (L.S.), Registrar. THOMAS GREEN (late W. A. Johnston), Proctor for the Executors, 82 Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—No. 6[illegible]5.—In the Will of EDWIN RICARDO, late of "Sandhurst," Spencer-road, Mosman, in the State of New South Wales, Gentleman, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that the Final Accounts in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Chancery-square, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said Estate, or being otherwise interested therein, are hereby required to come in before me at my said office on or before the twenty-seventh day of July, 1916, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit, object thereto; otherwise if the said accounts be not objected to the same will be examined by me, and passed according to law. Dated this tenth day of June, A.D. 1916. H. C. MONDAY (L.S.), Registrar. McKELLY and McKELLY, Proctors for the Executors, Twyford House, 17 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of JAMES McMURRAY, late of Tichborne, in the State of New South Wales, Miner, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration, with the Will annexed, of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to the PUBLIC TRUSTEE; and all persons having claims against the said Estate must render same in detail to the Public Trustee on or before the 12th day of July, 1916. T. W. GARRETT, Public Trustee, Culwulla-chambers, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of RALPH ROYALL, late of Desmond-street, Surry Hills, in the State of New South Wales, [illegible] deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to the PUBLIC TRUSTEE; and all persons having claims against the said Estate must render same in detail to the Public Trustee on or before the 12th day of July, 1916. T. W. GARRETT, Public Trustee, Culwulla-chambers, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of RAYMOND LESLIE GOLDSMITH, late of Wyong, in the State of New South Wales, and of the Australian Imperial Expeditionary Forces on Active Service, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration, with the Will annexed, of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to the PUBLIC TRUSTEE; and all persons having claims against the said Estate must render same in detail to the PUBLIC TRUSTEE on or before the 12th day of July, 1916. T. W. GARRETT, Public Trustee, Culwulla-chambers, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of JOHN CURTIN DALTON, late of Green's-road, Paddington, in the State of New South Wales, Police Pensioner, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to the PUBLIC TRUSTEE; and all persons having claims against the said Estate must render same in detail to the PUBLIC TRUSTEE on or before the 12th day of July, 1916. T. W. GARRETT, Public Trustee, Culwulla-chambers, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of WILLIAM HENRY NORRINGTON, otherwise known as WILLIAM McMURRAY, late of Tichborne, in the State of New South Wales, Miner, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to the PUBLIC TRUSTEE; and all persons having claims against the said Estate must render same in detail to the Public Trustee on or before the 12th day of July, 1916. T. W. GARRETT, Public Trustee, Culwulla-chambers, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of FRANCIS JOSEPH FRANKS, late of Dungay, near Murwillumbah, in the State of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will and Testament of the above-named deceased may be granted to WILLIAM GEORGE AKED and JOHN MAGNUS HOLSTON, the Executors named in the said Will. All persons having claims against the Estate of the said deceased are requested to send particulars thereof to the undersigned within the said fourteen days; and all Notices may be served at the office of the undersigned. A. A. B. HYNES, Proctor for Executors, Murwillumbah. By his Agents, FRED. B. WOOD and HILL, 211A Pitt-street, Sydney.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of ALFRED ANDERSON, late of Pyrmont, in the State of New South Wales, Carpenter, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to ALICE ANDERSON, the Executrix named in the said Will, and all notices are to be served at the undermentioned address. ALICE ANDERSON, 86 John-street, Pyrmont.

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I, RICHARD NICHOLAS JOHN FLETCHER, hereinafter called and known by the name of RICHARD NICHOLAS JOHN REACH, of Broken Hill, in the State of New South Wales, Wine and Spirit Merchant, Business Manager, etc, hereby give public notice that by deed poll, dated the sixth day of June, 1916, duly executed and attested, I formally and absolutely renounced, relinquished, and abandoned the said name of Richard Nicholas John Reach, and declared that I had assumed and adopted and intended thenceforth upon all occasions whatsoever to use and subscribe the name Fletcher instead of the name Reach, and so as to be at all times thereafter called, known, and described by the name of Richard Nicholas John Fletcher exclusively.

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CHAPTER III.—Continued.

Fenlove took her hand one day as he sat by her side, and held it for several moments in silence. She made no attempt to draw it away.

"How cold your hand is," he ventured at length in low tones.

"The weather is cold," she answered.

"But your heart is warm," he insinuated.

"It beats," she replied with a slow smile.

"And beats for me, I hope."

"For you?" and she raised calm and questioning eyes to his.

"Yes, for me. Why shouldn't it, Adela? I have been devoted to you for years. And love begets love, they say. One fire lights another. My love is like a furnace——"

"What a strange figure of speech."

"But my love is no figure of speech, but a reality—a wonderful reality. Love is the most glorious thing in the world."

"And the most tragic."

He started, and dropped her hand suddenly. The answer was not what he expected or desired. For a moment he felt nonplussed. Her words seemed to indicate a condition of things that he hoped she had outgrown.

"No, no; love is not tragic," he said at length. "There are tragic things in life, of course—no one, I suppose, can altogether escape them; but love—oh, love is wonderful and steadfast as the stars ——" He paused and smiled, showing all his teeth. He rather liked the sentence. It sounded poetic, and he was not usually given to poetry or figures of speech. He liked it so much that he repeated it.

"But the stars are so distant, Sir Jasper, and so very, very cold."

He felt nonplussed again; and he had thought he was getting on so well.

"I was referring only to their steadfastness," he stammered, "not to their distance. My love is near, and hot like the sun. Oh, you don't know how hot it is. It warms me night and day, and I want it to warm you also."

"Do you think I am so cold?"

"Not really, Adela," and he took her hand again. "No, not really. You seem a little cold sometimes; but my love is like a burning, fiery furnace; it burns up all that is mean in me—that is what I want. All the bad burned up, you know, so that I may be worthy of you. What?"

"Why do you say 'What,' Sir Jasper?"

"Oh, it's only a little habit I've got into. I hope you don't consider it a bad habit, Adela. I'll give up anything to please you."

"Pon my word, I will. I'm tremendously in love with you. I am, indeed, and I want you so badly."

"Do you;" and she looked calmly and wistfully into his eyes. She was quite unmoved and undisturbed.

"I do indeed. I've wanted you for years. I've a nice old place down in Bucks in which you would look a picture, and be as happy as a queen. You can't think how madly I'm in love with you."

"No, I suppose I can't. You see, I am only half alive," and she smiled again.

"Oh, you are alive enough," he protested, "and more beautiful than ever. You'll say 'Yes,' won't you?"

"Do you want me to say 'Yes' very badly?"

"I do. I do. I shall never rest until you promise me, and I shall give you no rest, either. You see, when a man loves a girl as I love you, he's bound to follow her about——"

"But I don't want to be followed about," she answered with a pathetic smile. I want peace and quietness."

"Exactly. And Wareburn is one of the most peaceful old places in the world."

"So my father has told me."

"And he knows what's what, does your father. It'll suit you down to the ground, Adela. Oh, I know it will. And in a few weeks more it will be just lovely, with the trees all sprouting, and the birds chirruping, and the flowers coming out everywhere, and nothing on earth to worry."

"Are you very fond of it?"

"Fond of it? If you were there I should never want to leave it. And to give Fenlove his due he meant it. He was quite sincere in his affection for Adela. She had taken his fancy more than any woman he had ever met. There might not be anything really great in his love. He was not a man who was capable of truly great things. He had not been built on any heroic scale. Nevertheless his love for Adela was perhaps the best thing that had ever come into his life.

"I should be a very uninteresting companion," she said with a dreamy look in her tired eyes.

"Oh, no you wouldn't," he protested. "You are just what I want, and all I want, and everything I want. You are just as lovely as a picture, and as sweet as apple blossom——"

"Oh, no," and she shook her head. "I am afraid you would soon tire of me. The blossoms soon fade, you know."

He took courage, and stole his arm round her waist. She did not resist or protest. She had no will to do either. He folded her in his arms, and she lay quite passive.

"Don't kiss me, Jasper," she said. "At least, not to day."

"I will kiss your hair," he said; "your beautiful perfumed hair," and he did.

"I think you had better go now," she said presently. "You have been with me quite a long time."

"Not nearly as long as I want. Oh, you don't know me, Adela. I want to be with you always."

She smiled at him pathetically, but did not reply.

He kissed her hair again, then rose to his feet. "I will go and see your father," he said. "He will be awfully bucked. He's awfully keen on my marrying you, you know."

"I know he is. Do you know why?"

He hesitated for a moment, and stammered slightly. The question was unexpected, and he was not quite prepared for it. Adela's questions were apt to be a little discomfiting.

He jerked at the lapel of his coat and showed all his teeth. "Of course I know why," he said. "Your father think's a good deal of me—thinks I am the right sort, you know; though I oughtn't to say it, perhaps, but you asked me a straight question—forced my hand, as it were——"

"I am sorry."

"Oh, you needn't be. Truth doesn't do any harm as a rule—at least some kinds don't. You see your father wants to do the best he can for his children—wants to see them happy and comfortably settled, and all that, and he knows me."

"Yes, I suppose he does."

"He'll be awfully glad when I tell him what."

She smiled again.

He took her cold hand and raised it to his lips, then walked slowly out of the room.

He felt tremendously elated. She had been much easier to win over than he had expected. She had not raised a single objection. It had been as easy as falling downstairs. She had evidently been prepared for his avowal, and had quite made up her mind. He had been right all along. She had cared for him before she met Dryadale—her liking for Dryadale was only a momentary infatuation. It had passed like a summer cloud. His death had left her unmoved and undisturbed.

Later he remembered that she had practically said nothing at all—promised nothing—confessed nothing—asserted nothing.

That, however, did not disturb him. Girls were always a little shy—at least they pretended to be. He didn't suppose they were so in reality. It was just a little convention of theirs that they were expected to observe—a sort of tradition handed down from generation to generation. It added to their charm, and gave piquancy to love-making.

He found Richard Bardell in the library chewing rather savagely the end of his cigar and staring abstractedly into the fire.

"Well, I've done it," Fenlove said gaily.

"What?"

Bardell turned slowly in his chair and faced his guest.

"Knew I was right all along," Fenlove continued. "Might have done it weeks ago if I hadn't listened to you. Not the least difficulty—not the smallest. Fell into my arms right away if I may say so without disrespect. Was evidently expecting it and ready for it."

"She has consented?"

"Not the slightest demur. Not a whisper. Smooth sailing from the very start."

Bardell smiled, but there was a troubled look in his eyes. He had plotted and schemed and sinned for this, but his victory was more painful and humiliating than a defeat. He was glad Adela had consented. It removed one danger out of his pathway, but others remained.

"You don't look excruciatingly happy," Fenlove grinned. "Aren't you going to congratulate me? What?"

"Of course, I congratulate you," Bardell said, pulling himself together with an effort. "I hope you'll be good to my little girl."

"Of course, I shall be good to her. You don't think I'm marrying her for your sake, I hope. I'm in love with her, and she's a mighty sight too good to be your daughter."

"She's too good for either of us," Bardell said with a growl.

Fenlove showed his teeth again. "Well, we'll not discuss that at present," he said, a little maliciously. "Our next business is to discuss arrangements for the wedding."

(To be continued.)

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"OTHELLO."

There are no surprises to be apprehended at this late period of the Shakespearian season at the Adelphi, in which respect artists are unfairly tried whilst running through a classic repertoire. For this reason visiting stars with stronger combinations have generally, or in great measure, avoided the full extent of such a challenge to their own powers. Allan Wilkie, however, has stood up to it manfully. On Saturday he brought to "Othello," the sixth of his studies, the very helpful physical qualities referred to by Thomas Campbell when he said "the Moor's appearance we cannot conceive but to have been majestic, and his physiognomy benevolent."

In more prosaic phrase, Mr. Wilkie looked the part handsomely. He leaves a Nubian blackness to his negro retinue, and represents Othello as justifying Desdemona's preference by a darkness of countenance no more accentuated than that of the Latin races of Europe. This favourable aspect is supported by a good deal of dignity in the more quiet scenes of this piece. Elsewhere Mr. Wilkie's Othello is at times strenuously melodramatic, a quite probable and effective way of suggesting that wild animal jealousy of the East which is so foreign to the nature of northern nations, and resembles, indeed, a physical instinct rather than an intellectual process. In this way his raceful moanings and groanings of sorrow rising in the fourth act to a climax of lust for blood, formed an interpretation of the great scene with Iago that thoroughly roused the audience. But there is some monotony in this actor's elocutionary method, and in the last act the morning pathos, and much of the emotional tenderness, which properly belong to "It is the cause of my soul" were missing. Incidentally, there was too much light upon the sleeping Desdemona, detracting from the solemnity of the situation. After that all went well until the actual death of Othello, which, at the last, had the mistaken effect of a pose in the limelight. On the whole, however, the impersonation was of decided interest, and the actor was able usefully to remind the listener of the store of gorgeous phrases, the epitomised wisdom, which enriches the mouths of all who give form and body to the characters of Shakespeare.

This revival, as did that of George Rignold, happily restores Bianca to our stage, a part most important to the plot, and similarly retains the street scenes which gave prominence to that criminal coxcomb Roderigo, handled to his own destruction by Iago. On the other side the "Willow Song" dialogue has been sacrificed, which Oscar Asche used to save by opening the tragedy in the Council Chamber.

Walter Hunt will secure general commendation for the soundness and intelligence of his Iago. Iago must appear superficially honest, frank, and trustworthy, whilst suggesting a sinister malevolency beneath. Few actors achieve the sum of these almost irreconcilable impressions. Mr. Hunt showed Saturday's audience talents beyond his previous modest efforts. He was able to demonstrate to the intellectual ascendency of a strong unscrupulous nature in the passages with the dupe, Roderigo, whose shallow folly and simple vanity were cleverly presented by Walter Champney. Prediswyde Hunter-Watts furnished a safe but quite undistinguished rendering of Desdemona. This actress generally makes up well, but in this part she is decidedly "wiggy." Mr. Robert Faulkner calls for praise as Cassio by reason of the truth and unexaggerated humour of his drunken scene. Shakespeare's dialogue at this point might have been written yesterday; and the audience burst into applause, as if they knew that six o'clock had just topped the referendum poll! Fred. Kehoe (Brabantio), Elwyn Harvey (Bianca), and Valentine Sydney (Emilia) were well placed.

Mr. George Marlow announces "Romeo and Juliet" for next Saturday, with "Hamlet" for the two closing nights of the season.

"GIPSY LOVE."

A very fine house greeted the return of the Royal Comic Opera Company and the revival at Her Majesty's on Saturday evening of Franz Lehar's "Gipsy Love," which was originally produced here about two years ago. At that time the cast included Edward Wynne, Arthur Lissant, Field Fisher, Gertrude Glyn, Celia Ghirol, Dorothy Brunton, Olive Godwin, Vera Wallace, and Elsie Spain, and in the present representation the management has made a judicious selection in replacing the absentees. As was generally remarked at the time of the premiere of "Gipsy Love," Lehar's music reaches the highest standard of strict comic opera, a much superior kind of piece to the average musical comedy of to-day. There is also a suggestion of impending tragedy in the plot which seems to render the foolery of Dragotin and Kajetan out of place.

There was a buzz of expectancy about Saturday night's audience that denoted a desire to welcome the old-time favourites. The cordiality of the reception of Messrs. Derek Hudson, John Ralston, Phil Smith, Leslie Holland, and Reginald Roberts was warm and sincere, but when Miss Florence Young appeared the demonstration was so hearty and general that for a minute or two it was impossible to continue the action of the piece. Miss Young played Lady Babby, the alert English widow, who cleverly foils the gipsy musician's designs upon the romantic and impressionable Liona. The artist identified herself with the part, and, being in excellent voice, gave full effect to the solo, "Cosmopolitan," and the duets "What I Like About You," "You're in Love," and "I Go So." Mr. Derek Hudson, in the part of the somewhat truculent Gipsy violinist, Jossl, was as efficient as ever, and in his opening duet, "The Garden of Love," he shared the honours with Miss Ethel Cadman. His powerful voice was also heard to advantage in the "Wild Rose," also the pretty trio, "A Little Maiden," and the stirring "Gipsy Song." Mr. John Ralston, in his assumption of his old role of Andor, the innkeeper, was notable for his success in the song "Love and Wine," and Mr. Phil Smith again did some good comedy work as the shy young man, Kajetan, his principal musical number being the duet "Kissing," in which he was assisted by Miss Minnie Love. The latter throughout the opera played naturally and with piquancy as Zolan.

Miss Ethel Cadman, who possesses a pleasant voice, which is remarkably clear in the upper register, quickly secured the appreciation of the audience, and she fully realised the dramatic requirements of the part of Liona. Her most successful efforts were the songs, "The Wild Bird," "The Looking Glass," and the melodious "Have I Awakened from Dreams?" Mr. Leslie Holland was extremely funny as Dragotin, the bombastic Roumanian noble, and what little Mr. Reginald Roberts had to do as Janel, a military officer, was rendered efficiently. C. R. Bantock, Mrs. George Lauri, Addie Leonard, and Ivy Dawn also formed members of a strong cast. The chorus and ballet worked with precision, and no exception could be taken to the staging of the piece, or the fine scenic canvases furnished by Messrs. Coleman and Upward.

AMUSEMENTS.

THEATRE ROYAL, JULIUS KNIGHT SEASON.

Used for some time past as a picture house, the Theatre Royal may be said to have been reacquired by the representatives of dramatic art in Australia, on Saturday night, when Julius Knight commenced a season, under the management of J. C. Williamson, Limited, with a welcomed revival of "The Silver King." Stalls and gallery were crowded long before 8 o'clock, and the few empty seats in the dress circle and reserved stalls could easily be counted as the red plush curtains went up on the first scene of a first-rate "melo-in-England" melodrama that does not seem to have lost its power of attraction. Apart from its significance as indicating the desire of the public for "the spoken drama" and flesh-and-blood performers on the stage, the enthusiasm which marked the change from cold and silent photo-plays was a personal triumph for the popular actor, who restored animation to a play-house garlanded with memories of many celebrities in the theatrical world, including Sarah Bernhardt, Genevieve Ward, Margaret Anglin, Lily Brayton, Dion Boucicault, John L. Toole, Oscar Asche, and Lewis Waller.

In the support of the star actor, whose Wilfred Denver caused unchallenged under the spears of criticism and remembrance, Miss Linette Parkes, who has gained all her experience in her native land, earned appreciation and applause in full measure, as Nellie Denver. Among all the other characters the old Daniel Jalkes of Mr. J. R. Atholwood stood out—admirable alike as a study and as a fine example of artistic ease and reserved restraint. Ghosts of other men and memories of other performances stood in the way of Mr. Boyd Irwin as "The Spider," Mr. Herbert Leigh, as "Father Christmas," Mr. Hugh Huntley as "The Duke of New York," and Mr. James Hughes as Cripps, the burglar-blacksmith. The cast included Miss Eileen Sparkes as Olive Skinner, Miss Emma Temple as Tabitha Durden, Miss Phillipa Morray as Cissy and Ned Denver, Mr. Harry Sweeney as Geoffrey Ware, and Mr. Thomas Lloyd as Detective Baxter. "The Silver King" will be played five nights this week, and there will be a matinee on Wednesday.

THE GRACE STAFFORD RECITAL.

A recital was given in St. James's Hall on Saturday evening by the pupils of Miss Grace Stafford. The programme consisted of one-act playlets and recitations, which were well and attractively presented; while the pupils' showing was very good. During the interval a presentation of a kettledrum was made to Lieut. Beck, O.C., commanding the 3rd Reinforcements of the 55th Battalion.

YIDDISH ENTERTAINMENT.

Lovers of Yiddish were well catered for on Saturday evening at the Repertory Theatre, when a four-act operetta, entitled "The Orphan," was staged by Mr. Ft. Strunin.

The play was a sordid tragedy by Jacob Gordon, and was handicapped to a certain extent by the poor stage properties and effects. The enthusiasm of the company, however, made up for this defect, and the piece went along very well. The principal characters, Vladimer and Chasya, were played by Mr. and Mrs. Strunin respectively, and they excellently portrayed the dramatist's types of character. A satisfactory support was given by the other members of the company.

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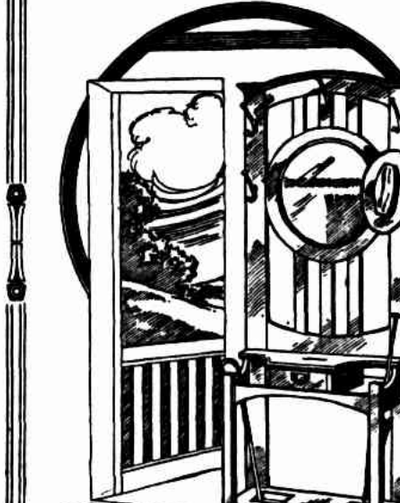

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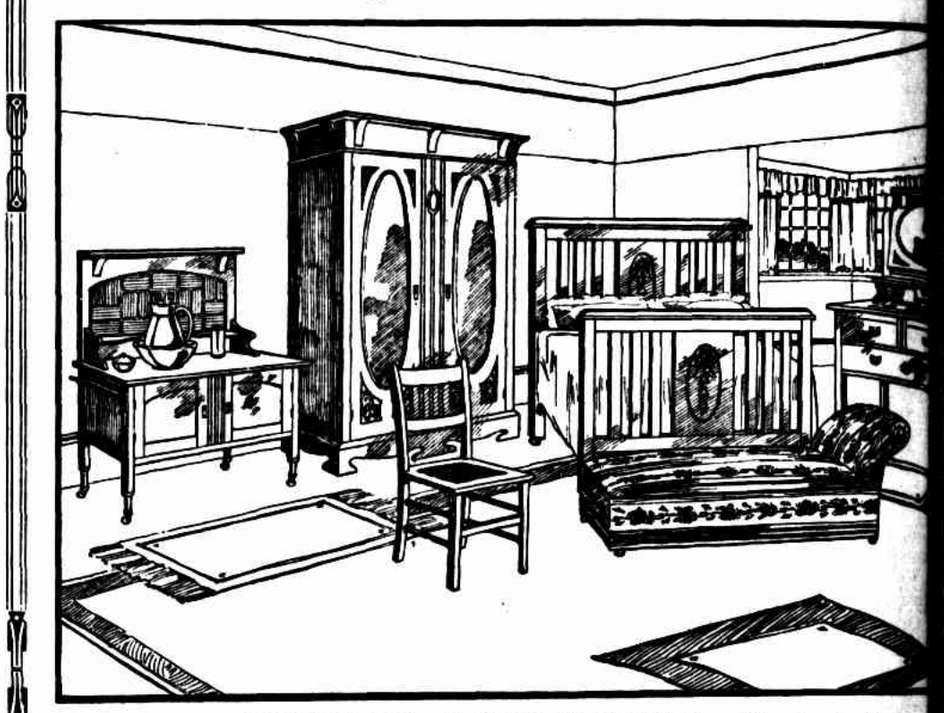

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NOTICE is hereby given that a DIVIDEND of 6 per cent. for the Half-year and BONUS of 3 per cent. for the year on the Share Capital at 31st March has been declared.
The Dividend on the Shares on the Sydney Register will be payable at the Sydney Branch on and after SATURDAY, the 10th JUNE, 1916; and on the Shares on the New Zealand Register on receipt of the Warrants from Wellington.

ON THE LAND.

FARM AND STATION.

BREEDING AND FEEDING.

Breeding and feeding of stock are closely associated, and thorough success can only be achieved by those who fully consider both questions. Many breeders of dairy stock in the past have used good judgment in selecting and mating their animals, but have sadly neglected the feeding question. Therefore, when dry spells have reduced the pastures their cattle have starved for lack of food. In addition to losses sustained owing to the failure in milk supplies many cattle have died that could have been saved by the exercise of a little forethought and some labour expended in conserving fodder during seasons of plenty. Good seasons were the rule throughout the coastal dairying districts in years gone by, and owners found that the natural pastures were practically sufficient to feed their cows the year round. Small patches of corn, planter's friend, or other green crops were sown to provide a little winter feed, but fodder conservation on a liberal scale was not a general practice. More recently seasons have not been so prolific, and during some years stock owners have suffered severely. A few silos have been erected here and there, but as yet fodder conservation has not become as universal as it is in colder countries.

In Great Britain, the Continent, and America and Canada, for instance, stock must be hand-fed each year during the long winter months. Owners in those countries conserve fodder annually, because it is imperative for them to do so. Australians do not, because in normal seasons animals get along fairly well without hand-feeding. Local conditions have much to do with the various systems adopted in different parts of the world. People in Great Britain and other cold countries wonder when they are told that fodder conservation is so little practiced here. They are incredulous when informed that in normal seasons there is practically sufficient in the paddocks to feed stock all the year round. They contrast our favourable conditions with the absolute shortage that comes every year to them, when stock must be fed and housed for several months. Our careless practice of allowing each year to provide for itself is severely criticised by them, and Australian stock-owners are considered to be unthrifty and careless. As previously stated, however, local conditions have a great deal to do with the methods adopted.

It is probable that British stockowners, who find fault with Australians for not providing fodder against a lean time, would adopt similar methods if they were located here. There is good evidence that they would, as the pioneers of this country came from the old land, and secured the broad acres which enabled them to breed large flocks and herds without the aid of hand-feeding. The practice thus begun continues on smaller holdings. In good seasons it works well, but under closer settlement conditions fodder conservation is becoming a necessity. Much has been said and written on this subject, but it should be kept uppermost until ensilage making has become a general farm practice, particularly amongst coastal dairymen. In no part of the world are local conditions more favourable for doing this than in most of the districts referred to. Much heavier crops can be cut per acre than in the districts of Canada and America where silos are part of the equipment of every farm. Over there some heavy yields of grain are harvested from corn crops, but there is not the luxurious stalk growth that is seen here.

IRRIGATION AREAS.

CONTROLLING FRUIT DISEASES.

The Resident Commissioner at Leeton desires it to be known that the regulations for the prevention of the introduction of disease in trees, vines, plants, fruit, seed, stock, or poultry, in an irrigation area will be rigidly enforced, and it would be well for settlers, growers, nurserymen, fruit sellers, hawkers, stock and poultry breeders, and others interested to make themselves conversant with those regulations, copies of which may be obtained from the Leeton office.

AMERICAN ADVERTISING.

INTERESTING FRUIT EXHIBIT.

An exhibition of preserved fruits brought to Sydney from America by Mr. James Chalmers, managing director of Farmer's, Ltd., and now on exhibition at that firm's restaurant, is an object-lesson in the art of advertising. This exhibit has aroused considerable interest among those engaged in our fruit industries, and numbers of people have expressed wonder at the manner in which this fruit has been put up and its perfect appearance. The fruit has not been "processed," as is believed in some quarters, we are authoritatively informed, but is preserved in a mixture of sulphurous acid, alcohol, formalin, distilled water, and glycerine, or some formula nearly approaching this. The Californian method, however, is in some degree better than ours, as it retains the colour of the fruit. The exhibit, which is well worth seeing, is put up in large, well-displayed glasses, about 2ft 6in high, and eq constructed that the fruit is seen to distinct advantage. The samples were forwarded by the Californian Development Board at the request of Mr. Chalmers, who was much impressed by the exhibit of American fruit at the Panama Exhibition. The board is an organisation with palatial headquarters at San Francisco, where permanent exhibits are maintained of the State's products. It is non-political, and is representative of 350 civic and commercial organisations throughout the State. This board maintains the largest exhibit of products ever brought together by a single State, over 5000 large glass stands of fruit, vegetables, and flowers being exhibited there. Mr. Chalmers was impressed with the extent of the orchards in America, and the extensive areas given over to the cultivation of walnuts, olives, and dates, and he also thinks that much could be done towards forming an organisation on the lines adopted in America.

The exhibit is most interesting, but the fruit is in no way superior to what is produced here. The varieties of fruit shown are Philip and Orange cling peaches, Bartlett and Columbia pears, Baldwin apples, Tokay grapes, loquats, and almonds and walnuts. These varieties are well enough known in this State, but so far have not been found of commercial value, except in the case of the Bartlett pears, commonly called Williams. Bartlett pears, however, grown in New South Wales, are better shaped than those exhibited, while the Philip and Orange cling peaches, though known to grow to big size, and of good colour, are not cultivated, for the reason that they have not proved good croppers, and are therefore of no great commercial value.

The same might be said of the Columbia pear, which makes such a good showing when put up for exhibition purposes. The exhibit of loquats is good, but a New South Wales production, called Heard's Mammoth, and raised at Ryde some 25 years ago, is regarded by experts as the finest loquat in the world. The exhibition of walnuts, on account of their size, has gained much admiration, but this walnut again is not regarded as a profitable commercial walnut. We are now growing at Yanco certain varieties of walnuts which are quite as large as the American product, but which are not sent to market, or grown to any extent, for the reason that they have no great commercial value, not so much because they are poor croppers as the fact that the kernel is not so rich as that of other varieties. Had this American fruit been processed in the ordinary commercial way it would have been of much more instructive interest to manufacturers and growers.

Mr. J. G. R. Bryant, assistant fruit expert, who saw the exhibit on Saturday, paid a tribute to the American manner of displaying the fruit, which, however, is a costly one, as the glass containers could not possibly be had for less than £2 each. "People must not run away with the idea," said Mr. Bryant, "that this fruit is any better than what we produce here every season. We have quite half a dozen localities in New South Wales where we can produce fruit equal to that grown in any other part of the world. From what I know of Yanco, and other parts of irrigated areas, we are going to astonish the Americans very shortly with the excellence of our fruit products. The fact that we have already obtained gold medals in England and at the Panama Exhibition for our preserved fruits is evidence of this. Well-known American orchardists who have visited this State during the last couple of years are ready to admit that although their fruitgrowing operations are on a considerably more extensive scale than ours, the quality of our products, the manner in which we prune, cultivate, pack our fruit, and process it is now equal to, and in some instances better than, anything that can be found in America. It is only the enormous proportions of the industry there which impress the visitor, and although New South Wales and Australia generally are a long way from reaching these proportions, there are nevertheless indications that we are on the verge of big things in fruit culture, canning, and bottling, in which our irrigated areas, and Yanco in particular, are going to play an important part."

AUSTRALIAN MEAT PRICES.

Mr. J. A. M. Elder, managing director, John Cooke and Co. Proprietary, Ltd., Melbourne, writes:—Referring to the letter from "International" appearing in your issue of the 5th in reference to my statement which was published in the "Herald" of 2nd, on the above subject, I would say that his arguments are based on an entirely wrong hypothesis. He has failed carefully to read my statements. But the trend of the letter is such as to belittle the reputation and value of Australian frozen meat. "International's" letter deals solely with the relative values of beef, and his arguments against the same wholesale price all round refer to beef only. My statements in regard to the fixation of all round prices referred only to mutton and lamb. They could not possibly refer to beef, because there is no Australian beef available for sale to private consumers at home. It is all bought for the army, as is practically all the frozen beef that is imported into England. This was made clear in my previous statement. My object was to show that foreign meat in England was securing advantages over meat from the Dominions.

The average prices realised on Smithfield (London) market for frozen mutton and lamb from Argentina, New Zealand, and Australia for the four years 1912-1915, are as follows:—

	Mutton. d	Lamb. d
AUSTRALIA.—		
1912	7½	5½
1913	4	5¾
1914	4¼	6
1915	4¾	7½
NEW ZEALAND.—		
1912	4¾	5¾
1913	4¼	6¼
1914	5¼	6¼
1915	6¼	7½
ARGENTINA.—		
1912	5¼	6
1913	4¼	5¾
1914	4¼	6
1915	6¼	7½

It will be seen that Argentina, prior to the war period, only secured /0¼ per lb more for her mutton than Australia; but in 1915 the difference jumped to /0¾ in favour of Argentina. As regards lamb, it will be noted that Australian prices for the three years prior to the war enjoyed a slight average advantage over Argentina, and actually during 1915 Australia was /0¼ higher.

Now look at the last quotations, as appearing in the "Herald" on Monday:—

	d
Australian mutton	8¼
New Zealand mutton	9
South American mutton	10¾
Australian lamb	10
New Zealand lamb	10
South American lamb	12¾

It is patent that my previous statements are absolutely correct. The Argentine shipper is perfectly free to sell his mutton and lamb (and his chilled beef as well) in the British markets; whereas the Australian and New Zealand shipper was paid by the British Government an average price of about /4¾ per lb f.o.b. for his mutton, and about /5¾ per lb f.o.b. for his lamb. Add to these figures /2 per lb (which represents freight, insurance, selling, and handling charges at home, and the /0¾ profit which the British Government allows the Smithfield man to make), and we have the total cost of Australian and New Zealand mutton, viz., /6¾, as against the average market price of about /8—a profit of, say, /2 12-16 per lb to someone—presumably to the British Government. Similarly, the profit on Australian and New Zealand lamb is nearly /2¾ per lb. These figures are so eloquent that I refrain from further comment. If, however, Argentina can buy at anything like the prices at which Australian mutton and lamb are bought by the British Government, what profits the Argentine companies must be making! I have the latest balance-sheet of a company operating in Argentina, which shows that during last year they made profits ten times larger than in 1914, which was in itself a year above the average in the way of profits. While I do not advocate that extortionate or abnormal prices should be paid by the British Government for any meat they require, I maintain that the Dominions should receive, if not preferential, at least as favourable, treatment as is granted to our foreign competitors. As already pointed out, the refrigerated tonnage is in the hands of the British Government, and this is a matter that can be adjusted by them.

Now, as regards beef and its "intrinsic value." The average prices realised at home for Argentine, New Zealand, and Australian beef for the period mentioned above are as follows:—

	Beef Sides. d.
AUSTRALIA.—	
1912	3-5/16
1913	3¾
1914	4¼
1915	6-11/16
NEW ZEALAND.—	Beef Sides. d.
1912	3-9/16
1913	3¾
1914	4-15/16
1915	6¾
ARGENTINA.—	
1912	3¾
1913	3¾
1914	4-15/16
1915	6¾

This table shows that the statement by "International" regarding the "prime alfalfa-fed cattle" fetching from ¼d to 1d per lb more than the Australian beef is moonshine. His argument about "drought-fed" cattle does not apply to Australia, as the standard of inspection adopted by the Federal authorities ensures that only good meat is shipped. Moreover, always in times of high prices, fat heavy meat is intrinsically of less value as a saleable commodity than leaner meat, because the former is wasteful, while the latter better suits the pockets of customers, who at these times want the leaner, and therefore more economical joints.

BANANA DISEASE.

BRISBANE.—Mr. H. Tryon (Government Pathologist) returned to Brisbane from a visit to the Tweed River district, partly under arrangement with the New South Wales Government to investigate a disease in banana plantations. Mr. Tryon was much astonished to note the progress made by the banana industry, and to learn the potentialities of the district. He found bananas growing on land that one would not expect to see under cultivation, and growers appeared to be well satisfied with the return.

AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION.

On Saturday afternoon the students from the agriculture classes at the Sydney and Granville Technical Colleges, accompanied by their instructor, Mr. Henry Lord, visited The Tromaiche, Neutral Bay, for a practical lesson in the pruning of fruit trees.

The following lectures and demonstrations have been arranged for the week ending June 17:—
Tamworth, June 16: Mr. R. W. M'Diarmid, assistant inspector of agriculture, will deliver a lecture on "Wheat Culture" to the members of the Goonoo Goonoo branch of the Farmers and Settlers' Association.
Eastwood, June 12: Mr. J. Hadlington, poultry expert, will visit poultry farms in the district, by arrangement with the Poultry Farmers and Breeders' Association.

PRUNING DEMONSTRATIONS.
By Mr. J. G. R. Bryant, assistant fruit expert:—Goulburn, June 13, at Mr. T. Shepherd's orchard; Parkesbourne, June 15; Yass, June 16, at Mr. Duddleston's orchard.
By Mr. W. L. G. Brereton, assistant fruit expert:—Inverell, June 15 (afternoon); Delungra, June 16 (morning).
The demonstration arranged for Leech's Gully for June 14 has been cancelled.

STATE LEGISLATORS INDIFFERENT TO TRADE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I complained to a prominent ex-member of the House of Representatives that owing to the supineness of our State legislators trade that could be kept in our own State is slowly and steadily finding its way, in increasing quantities, over the borders. His answer was:—"Then why do you not establish a branch or branches in the other States, my house has done so?" This is a poor reply for a legislator to give, for it simply means that he is looking after his own firm's interest, and not the country's. If, for instance, my firm were to establish a branch in Melbourne, and supply the southern parts of New South Wales with goods that formerly came through Sydney, my profits of trade would be just the same, less the expense of running the Melbourne branch, but where would New South Wales come in? She would lose her taxable right on this profit of trade, her railways would lose on an average three-fourths of its haulage, her manufacturers would lose well nigh all the supply of the manufactured goods sold, and her shipping port would lose all the port dues on overseas goods that enter into New South Wales through the port of Melbourne. In addition the handling of these goods, as well as the labour expended on Australian manufactured articles, would fall into the hands of Victorian labour instead of New South Wales. To me it is a striking illustration of the want of intelligence of the masses of the Labour party, who allow their leaders to turn trade, which, in many instances, is their means of livelihood, away from their own doors. I am, etc.,
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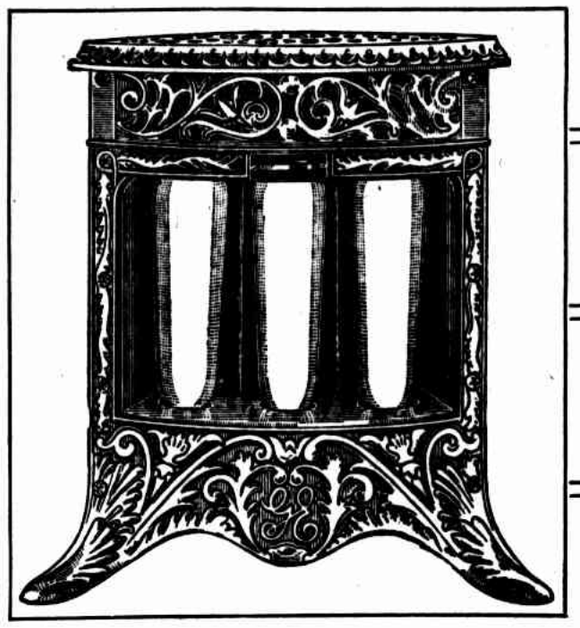

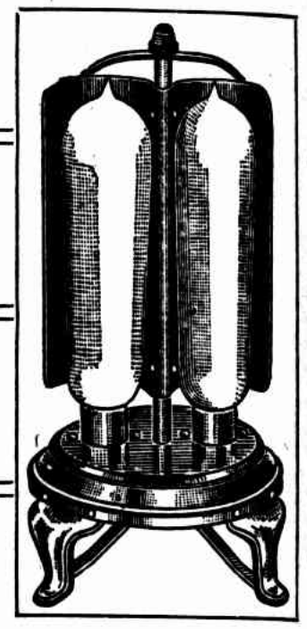

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FUNERALS.

BASSETT.—The Friends of the late Mrs. MARY C. BASSETT are kindly invited to attend her Funeral, to leave her daughter's residence, 4 Arthur-st, Marrickville, THIS DAY, at 1 p.m., for Church of England Cemetery, Rookwood, via L wisham station.
F. W. HARTLEY, Undertaker.

BASSETT.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. A. MOUNT, of Ballina, Mr. and Mrs. J. FERN, of Carnegie, Mr. and Mrs. F. MORRISSEY, of Campsie, and Mr. and Mrs. P. EARLE, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved MOTHER, Mary C. EARLE, to leave her late residence, 72 Phillip-street, city, THIS DAY, at 2.30 p.m., for Church of England Cemetery, Rookwood.
F. W. HARTLEY, Undertaker.

BROCK.—The Funeral of the late MARGARET BROCK will take place TO-MORROW, Tuesday, and will leave Mount Carmel Church, Waverley, at 2.30 p.m., for the Catholic Cemetery, Waverley.
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BROOKS.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. HENRY BROOKS are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly beloved Infant DAUGHTER, Joyce Isabel, to leave their residence, 161 Johnston-street, Annandale, THIS (Monday) MORNING, at 9.30, for C. of E. Cemetery, Rookwood, via Stanmore station.
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CROSS.—The Friends of Mrs. NELLIE CROSS and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her beloved HUSBAND and their dear FATHER, Arthur George, to leave the residence of his Brother, 20 Thurlow-street, Redfern, on TUESDAY, at 2 o'clock, for Catholic Cemetery, Waverley.
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cor. Oxford and Crown streets, city.

CROSS.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. JOHN CROSS are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved BROTHER, Arthur George, to leave their residence, 20 Thurlow-street, Redfern, on TUESDAY, at 2 o'clock, for Catholic Cemetery, Waverley.
T. DIXON, Undertaker.

CROSS.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. JOHN ALLSOP are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved BROTHER, Arthur George, to leave his brother's residence, 20 Thurlow-street, Redfern, on TUESDAY, at 2 o'clock, for Catholic Cemetery, Waverley.
T. DIXON, Undertaker.

CUNNINGHAM.—The Friends of the late Mrs. C. JAMES CUNNINGHAM are kindly invited to attend her Funeral, to leave her late residence, 28 Templestreet, Stanmore, THIS DAY, at 1.30 p.m., for Baptist Cemetery, Rookwood, via Stanmore Station.
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CUNNINGHAM.—The Friends of Miss LILY CUNNINGHAM are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her late beloved MOTHER, Ann M.; to leave her late residence, 28 Temple-street, Stanmore, THIS DAY, at 2.30 p.m., for Rookwood Cemetery.
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CUNNINGHAM.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. BAILEY, of Burwood, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved MOTHER, Mrs. M. Cunningham, to leave her late residence, 28 Temple-street, Stanmore, THIS DAY, at 2 p.m., for Baptist Cemetery, Rookwood, via Stanmore Station.
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CUNNINGHAM.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. CHARLES CHURCH, Milton, Fifth avenue, Campsie, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved DAUGHTER, Ann M. Cunningham, to leave her late residence, 28 Temple-street, Stanmore, THIS DAY, at 2 p.m., for Baptist Cemetery, Rookwood, via Stanmore Station.
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CUNNINGHAM.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. HARRIS are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved MOTHER, to leave from her residence, 28 Temple-street, Stanmore, at 1.30 p.m., for Baptist Cemetery, Rookwood.

CUZZI.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. JOHN CUZZI are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved Infant DAUGHTER, Constantina Jessie, to leave their residence, Surrey Hills, THIS DAY, MONDAY, at 2.30 p.m., for the Waverley Cemetery.
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DAVIES.—The Friends of Mrs. WILLIAM DAVIES, of 36 Bligh-street, Petersham, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her late beloved HUSBAND, William, to leave his late residence, 3 Church-street, Paddington, THIS DAY, MONDAY, at 2.30 p.m., for the Church of England Cemetery, Waverley.
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DOLEY.—The Friends of the late Mrs. MARIELLA JANE DOLEY are kindly invited to attend her Funeral, to leave her late residence, St. Benedict's Church, George-street West, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery.
W. S. BULL,
Funeral Director,
cor. Oxford-street, Sydney.

DOLEY.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. DOLEY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved SON, Leslie Arthur, to leave his residence, 3 Thurlow-street, Redfern, on TUESDAY, at 2 o'clock, for Catholic Cemetery, Waverley.
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DOLEY.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. T. DONOHOE are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved MOTHER, Mrs. M. DOLEY, to leave her late residence, St. Benedict's Church, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery.

DOLEY.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. R. CAMERON are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved MOTHER, Mrs. M. J. DOLEY, to leave her late residence, Lancelot-street, Five Dock, THIS DAY, at 3.30 p.m., for Church of England Cemetery, Rookwood.
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DORTIER.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. FORTIER are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved FATHER and GRANDFATHER, William Fortier, to leave his late residence, Lancelot-street, Five Dock, at 3.45 p.m., for C. of E. Cemetery, Rookwood.

DORTIER.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. RAMBLE, Mr. and Mrs. J. BARRY, and Mr. and Mrs. W. GATES, the WILLIAM, ARTHUR, ALBERT, and FRED SMEDLEY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved GRANDFATHER, William A. Fortier, to leave his late residence, Le Chateau, Lancelot-street, Five Dock, THIS MORNING, 9.15, for Church of England Cemetery, Rookwood, via Burwood.

DORTIER.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. FRED ERICK DORTIER and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly beloved Father and GRANDFATHER, William Fortier, to leave his late residence, Le Chateau, Lancelot-street, Five Dock, THIS MORNING, 9.15, for Church of England Cemetery, Rookwood, via Burwood.

DOUGLAS.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. JAMES CONSTABLE, Mr. and Mrs. SAMUEL PARISH, and Mr. and Mrs. DONALD M'MACKIN, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly loved Infant DAUGHTER, Constance Williams, to leave 395 Harris-street, Pyrmont, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at ... for the Waverley Cemetery.

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EVANS.—The Friends of the late JOHN EVANS are invited to attend the Funeral of Mr. and Mrs. George Evans, to leave their residence, Seventh-street, Petersham, THIS DAY, MONDAY, at 3 p.m., for the Church of England Cemetery, Gore Hill.
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FALLS.—The Friends of DOREEN MARGARET FALLS will take their THIS DAY, Monday, in the Catholic Cemetery, Waverley, on arrival of the Funeral train leaving Sydney at ...
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FENNELL.—The Friends of Mrs. SARAH ANN FENNELL and FAMILY (late of Narrellan) are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved HUSBAND and FATHER, Joseph, which will leave Sacred Heart Church, Randwick, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2.30, for Randwick Cemetery.
W. H. ALT, Undertaker.

FENWICK.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. ARTHUR FENWICK and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved DAUGHTER and SISTER, Ida May, to leave 3 Somerset-road, Hurstville, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.15, for C. of E. Cemetery, Waverley, via Penshurst station.
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FENWICK.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. JENKINS are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved MOTHER, Edith May, to leave Belmore-road, Hurstville, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.15, for C. of E. Cemetery, Waverley, via Penshurst station.
F. DANGAR and CO., Undertakers.

FITZPATRICK.—The Friends of the late MICHAEL FITZPATRICK, of Arncliffe, and of the late John Fitzpatrick, of Arncliffe and Redfern, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of the former, to leave St. Vincent's Hospital, Darlinghurst, THIS DAY, at 3 p.m., for the Catholic Cemetery, Rookwood.
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Paddington Branch, Oxford-street.

FORTIER.—The Funeral of the late Mr. WILLIAM A. FORTIER will leave Lancelot-street, Five Dock, THIS DAY, at 3.45 a.m., for Church of England Cemetery, Rookwood.
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FORTIER.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. G. J. WRENCH are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved FATHER, William A. Fortier, to leave the residence, Lancelot-street, Five Dock, THIS DAY, at 3.45 a.m., for Church of England Cemetery, Rookwood.
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FORTIER.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. FORTIER and FAMILY are invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved FATHER and GRANDFATHER, William Fortier, to leave his late residence, Lancelot-street, Five Dock, at 3.45 a.m., for C. of E. Cemetery, Rookwood.

FORTIER.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. RAMBLE, Mr. and Mrs. J. BARRY, and Mr. and Mrs. W. GATES, the WILLIAM, ARTHUR, ALBERT, and FRED SMEDLEY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved GRANDFATHER, William A. Fortier, to leave his late residence, Le Chateau, Lancelot-street, Five Dock, THIS MORNING, 9.15, for Church of England Cemetery, Rookwood, via Burwood.

FORTIER.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. FREDERICK DORTIER and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly beloved Father and GRANDFATHER, William Fortier, to leave his late residence, Le Chateau, Lancelot-street, Five Dock, THIS MORNING, 9.15, for Church of England Cemetery, Rookwood, via Burwood.

HARRISON.—The Funeral of the late ALFRED HARRISON, late of Cootamundra, Mosman, and formerly of Goulburn and Cootamundra, are kindly invited to attend his Funeral, to leave our Mortuary Chambers, THIS DAY, Monday, at 11 a.m., for the Methodist Cemetery, Gore Hill.
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HOLDER.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. HENRY E. HOLDER are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved infant DAUGHTER, Daphne JESS; to leave their residence, 72 Phillip-street, city, THIS DAY, at 2.30 p.m., for Presbyterian Cemetery, Gore Hill.
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HUGHES.—The Friends of Mr. JOSEPH HENRY HUGHES and Miss HUGHES are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved WIFE and her MOTHER, Mary Ann; to leave her late residence, 22 Westbourne-street, Drummoyne, THIS DAY, at 2.30 p.m., for Methodist Cemetery, Field of Mars.
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HUGHES.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. F. HUGHES and FAMILY, Mr. and Mrs. H. HUGHES and FAMILY, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. REID and FAMILY, Mr. and Mrs. S. COULTON and FAMILY, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. MULHOLLAND and FAMILY, and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. HILEY and FAMILY, are invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved MOTHER, Mary Ann Hughes, to leave 22 Westbourne-street, Drummoyne, THIS DAY, at 2.30 p.m., for Methodist Cemetery, Field of Mars.
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KELMAN.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. GEORGE KELMAN are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved DAUGHTER, Margaret; to leave Prince Alfred Hospital, THIS AFTERNOON, at 12.30, for Rookwood Cemetery.
F. DANGAR and CO., Undertakers, 62 George-st W.

KNOWLES.—The Funeral of the late FRANCIS EDWARD KNOWLES will leave Messrs. KIRBY and SON, Ltd., 7 Elizabeth-street, Sydney, at 9 o'clock on MONDAY MORNING.

LAWLER.—The Friends of Mrs. MARGARET LAWLER and FAMILY, GLADYS, FLORRIE, ARTHUR, and JACK, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved MOTHER, Mary Ann; to leave Mr. Arthur Lawler's, to move from their residence, 5 James-street, Enmore, THIS DAY, at 1 p.m., for Catholic Cemetery, Rookwood.
W. N. BULL, Funeral Director.

LAWLER.—The Friends of Mrs. A. LAWLER (5 James-street, Enmore) and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. TANSLEY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved SON and BROTHER, Richard Arthur Lawler; to move from 5 James-street, Enmore, THIS DAY, at 1 p.m., for Rookwood Cemetery.

LAWLER.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. GEORGE SULLIVAN are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved BROTHER, Mr. Richard Arthur Lawler; to move from his residence, 5 James-street, Enmore, THIS DAY, at 1 p.m., for Rookwood Cemetery.

LAWLER.—The Friends of Mr. FRANK MORAN and Messrs. A. SYKES and F. KEEWAN are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved FATHER-IN-LAW and their FRIEND, Mr. Richard Arthur Lawler; to move from his residence, 5 James-street, Enmore, THIS DAY, at 1 p.m., for Rookwood Cemetery.

T. A. C. H. N., St. Pius Branch, No. 515.—The Officers and Members of the above branch are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of the late P. P. Rev. C. A. DAWLER, to move from 5 James-street, Enmore, THIS DAY, at 1 p.m. sharp, for Rookwood Cemetery, via Newtown Station.
F. J. SINNAY, President.
SCHWEINSBERG, Secretary.

LAWLESS.—The Friends of the late MARGARET LAWLESS, late of 14 Prospect-street, Surry Hills, are kindly invited to attend her Funeral, to take place THIS DAY, Monday, and to leave our Mortuary Chambers, at 3 p.m., for the Catholic Cemetery, Sutherland (Woronora).
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON, LTD.,
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7 Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

LOVELACE.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. LOVELACE and FAMILY and Mr. and Mrs. A. R. KAILES are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved SON and BROTHER, Albert Richard Lovelace; to move from the residence, 64 Fauvart-street, Rozelle, THIS MORNING, at 8.30, for the Field of Mars Cemetery.
W. N. BULL, Darling-street, Rozelle.

MASON.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. HAROLD F. MASON are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved SON, Harold Frank, to leave their residence, Chando-street, St. Leonards, THIS DAY, at 11 a.m., for Presbyterian Cemetery, Gore Hill.
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MOONEY.—The Funeral of the late Mrs. SARAH MOONEY will leave her daughter's residence, Church-street, Wollongong, THIS DAY, MONDAY, at 3.30 p.m., for Wollongong Cemetery.
H. PARSONS,
Undertaker.

M'DOUGALL.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. HUGH M'DOUGALL are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved DAUGHTER, Agnes Beatrice, to leave residence, Airlie, 70 Mosman-street, Mosman, TO-MORROW (Tuesday) MORNING, at 10 o'clock, for Presbyterian Cemetery, Gore Hill.
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M'GARN.—The Relatives and Friends of Mr. JOHN M'GARN are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved WIFE, Ellen; to leave the residence of her mother, Mrs. M. Kenna, 71 Wynyard-street, Woolloomooloo, THIS DAY, at 2.30 p.m., for Church of England Cemetery, Rookwood.
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M'GUCKIN.—The Friends of PETER M'GUCKIN, late of Wollongong, are informed that his Funeral takes place at Rookwood THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock.
RALPH METCALFE,
Undertaker.

O'SHEA.—The Friends of Mr. JOHN O'SHEA, Senior, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved WIFE, Mary Ann; to leave St. Benedict's Church, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 1.15, for Catholic Cemetery, Rookwood.
F. DANGAR and CO., Undertakers,
62 George-street West.
'Phone, M1450.

O'SHEA.—The Friends of JOHN O'SHEA, Jun., and TERRY O'SHEA are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved MOTHER, Mary Ann; to leave St. Benedict's Church, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 1.15, for Catholic Cemetery, Rookwood.
F. DANGAR and CO., Undertakers.

O'SHEA.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. ROY O'REILLY and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved MOTHER and GRANDMOTHER, Mary Ann; to leave St. Benedict's Church, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 1.15, for Catholic Cemetery, Rookwood.
F. DANGAR and CO., Undertakers.

O'SHEA.—The Friends of Mrs. MAHER and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved SISTER and AUNT, Mary Ann; to leave St. Benedict's Church, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 1.15, for Catholic Cemetery, Rookwood.
F. DANGAR and CO., Undertakers.

O'SHEA.—The Friends of Mrs. S. DAVIS and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved SISTER and AUNT, Mary Ann; to leave St. Benedict's Church, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 1.15, for Catholic Cemetery, Rookwood.
F. DANGAR and CO., Undertakers.

O'SHEA.—The Friends of Mr. W. COFFEY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved SISTER, Mary Ann; to leave St. Benedict's Church, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 1.15, for Catholic Cemetery, Rookwood.
F. DANGAR and CO., Undertakers.

O'SHEA.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. THOMAS COFFEY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved SISTER, Mary Ann; to leave St. Benedict's Church, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.15, for Catholic Cemetery, Rookwood.
F. DANGAR and CO., Undertakers.

O'SHEA.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. WILLIAM and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved SISTER and AUNT, Mary Ann; to leave St. Benedict's Church, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.15, for Catholic Cemetery, Rookwood.
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O'SHEA.—The Friends of Mr. JOHN ROCHE are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved FRIEND, Mary Ann O'Shea; to leave St. Benedict's Church, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.15, for Catholic Cemetery, Rookwood.
F. DANGAR and CO., Undertakers.

PENDER.—The Funeral of the late Mr. GEORGE PENDER, late of Milton, South Coast, will leave the residence of his son-in-law, 190 Nor on street, Leichhardt, THIS DAY, at 9.15 a.m., for Church of England Cemetery, Rookwood, via Lewisham station.
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PUGLIESE.—The Relatives and Friends of the late Mr. PUGLIESE are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved BROTHER, Antonio; to leave Alhambra Villa, Doncaster-avenue, Kensington, THIS DAY, at 2.45 p.m., for Randwick Cemetery.

PUGLIESE.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. HUMBERT PUGLIESE are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved FATHER, Antonio; to leave Alhambra Villa, Doncaster-avenue, Kensington, THIS DAY, at 2.45 p.m., for Randwick Cemetery.

PUGLIESE.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. VICTOR PUGLIESE are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved FATHER, Antonio; to leave Alhambra Villa, Doncaster-avenue, Kensington, THIS DAY, at 2.45 p.m., for Randwick Cemetery.

PUGLIESE.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. ERNEST PUGLIESE are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved FATHER, Antonio; to leave Alhambra Villa, Doncaster-avenue, Kensington, THIS DAY, at 2.45 p.m., for Randwick Cemetery, Long Bay road, Coogee.

PUGLIESE.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. JOHN WHEELER are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved FATHER, Antonio Pugliese; to leave Alhambra Villa, Doncaster-avenue, Kensington, THIS DAY, at 2.45 p.m., for Randwick Cemetery.

PUGLIESE.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. ALBERT WAGNER are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved FATHER, Antonio Pugliese; to leave Alhambra Villa, Doncaster-avenue, Kensington, THIS DAY, at 2.45 p.m., for Randwick Cemetery.
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PUGLIESE.—The Friends of N. TRUDA are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his beloved FRIEND, Antonio Pugliese; to leave his late residence, at 2.45 p.m. THIS DAY.

PUGLIESE.—Members of CLUB ITALIA are invited to attend the Funeral of Mr. A. Pugliese; to leave his residence, Doncaster-avenue, Kensington, THIS DAY, for the Long Bay Cemetery at 2 o'clock.
Capt. P. LURRANO, President.
M. BRIGANDO, Secretary.

PECK.—The Friends of the late JAMES PECK are kindly invited to attend his Funeral; to leave his late residence, 12 Glebe-street, Paddington, THIS MONDAY, at 2 p.m., for South Head Cemetery.
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RAE.—The Funeral of the late Mr. JOHN RAE, tailor, of 8 Short-street, Balmain, will take place THIS (Monday) MORNING, at 11 o'clock, in the Presbyterian Cemetery, Rookwood.
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ROACH.—The Friends of the late Mr. PATRICK ROACH are invited to attend his Funeral; to leave the Mater Misericordiae Hospital, North Sydney, THIS DAY, at 10.30 a.m., for Catholic Cemetery, Gore Hill.
WALTER BRUCE, Undertaker.

SMITH.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. RICHARD BARRETT and FAMILY, of Beauty, 130A Blue's Point-road, North Sydney, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved FRIEND, Thomas Charles Smith, which will take place THIS AFTERNOON at the Presbyterian Cemetery, Gore Hill, at 2.45 o'clock. WOOD, COFFILL, and COMPANY, Ltd.

SPENCE.—The Relatives and Friends of Mrs. DOROTHY SPENCE are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her late beloved HUSBAND, James Harold; to leave Tintern, York-street, Belmore, THIS DAY, at 2.30 p.m., for Church of England Cemetery, Punchbowl.
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SPENCE.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. FERRY BRESSINGTON are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved BROTHER, James Harold Spence; to leave Tintern, York-street, Belmore, THIS DAY, at 2.30 p.m., for Punchbowl Cemetery.

SPENCE.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. GEORGE, Mr. and Mrs. WILLIAM, Mr. and Mrs. ARTHUR, and Mr. and Mrs. WALTER SPENCE, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved BROTHER, James Harold; to leave Tintern, York-street, Belmore, THIS DAY, at 2.30 p.m., for Punchbowl Cemetery.

SPENCE.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. GEORGE SMITH and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved SON-IN-LAW and BROTHER-IN-LAW, James Harold Spence; to leave Tintern, York-street, Belmore, THIS DAY, at 2.30 p.m., for Church of England Cemetery, Punchbowl.
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WATTLE LODGE, No. 605, U.A.O.D.—The Members of this and kindred Lodges are requested to attend the Funeral of our late beloved BROTHER, James Spence; to leave Tintern, York-street, Belmore, at 2.30 p.m., TO-DAY, for Punchbowl Cemetery. J. H. ADAMS, A.D.; E. I. BLANKSBY, Sec.

SPURWAY.—The Friends of Mrs. GOODHEAD are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her late friend, Frank Spurway (Golden-road, late of 41 Lidcombe-street, Surry Hills), to move from the Lidcombe Hospital, THIS (Monday) MORNING, at 10 o'clock, for Rookwood Cemetery.

WILLINGS.—The Friends of the late JOHN WILLINGS are invited to attend his Funeral; to leave his late residence, Valmai, 570 King-street, Tempe, THIS DAY, at 1.30, for Tempe Station, thence to C. of E. Cemetery, Sutherland. By request, no flowers.
T. J. ANDREWS, Undertaker,
25 Enmore-road,
'Phone, L1178. Newtown.

WILLINGS.—The Friends of Mrs. W. C. WHITBY and FAMILY, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. WHITBY and FAMILY, and Mr. and Mrs. H. J. WILLINGS and FAMILY are invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved FATHER and GRANDFATHER; to leave his late residence, Valmai, 570 King-street, Tempe, THIS DAY, at 1.30, for Sutherland Cemetery, via Tempe Station. T. J. Andrews, Undertaker, Newtown.

LOYAL ST. JOHN'S LODGE (M.U.I.O.O.F.), NEWTOWN.—The Members of the above and kindred Lodges are requested to attend the Funeral of our late BROTHER, J. Willings; to leave his residence, King-street, Tempe, TO DAY, MONDAY, at 1.45 p.m., for Tempe Station, thence to Woronora Cemetery.
BRO. R. C. WILLETT, N.G.
JAMES TRAHAIR, Fin. Sec.

WORRILL.—The Relatives and Friends of the late Mr. JOSEPH WORRILL are kindly invited to attend his Funeral, which will leave the residence of his son-in-law, Lieutenant Dutil, 14 Cambridge-street, Enmore, THIS MORNING, at 9 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery.
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BIRTHS.

DU FAUR.—May 29, at The Burra Burra Mine, South Australia, the wife of J. S. Du Faur—a son.

LANE.—June 7, at Enal, Secondstreet, Wentworthville, the wife of Henry W. Lane—a daughter (Gladys Thelma).

ROWE.—June 4, at Tranearth, Lower Ocean-street, Double Bay, the wife of H. Rushin Rowe—a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

SINCLAIR—WARD.—April 29, 1916, at St. Stephen's, Phillip-street, by Rev. J. Ferguson, Claude H., fourth son of J. Sinclair, Esq., to Emily J., elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ward.

SILVER WEDDINGS.

STOWE—BARRACLOUGH.—June 11, 1891, at Ocean-street Congregational Church, Woollahra, by the Rev. C. J. W. Moon, Alfred Owen, eldest son of Thomas Stowe, of Balmain, to Emily, third daughter of John Barraclough, of Paddington. Present address, Mount Askham, Alexandria-street, Drummoyne.

ROLL OF HONOUR.

BINKS.—Our Fred, No. 145, 4 Comp., 1st Battalion, Machine Gun Section, killed in action June 14, 1915.

Sweet memories, glare in life's grey skies,
We would not yield them for a paradise.

Inserted by his loving sisters, Emily and Fannie, Burwood.

BINKS.—A token of friendship and honour to the memory of Private F. Binks, killed in action in Gallipoli June 12, 1915. Inserted by Mrs. and Miss Bailey.

BOOK.—In sad but loving memory of our darling grandson and nephew, Harold, aged 20 years, killed in action in France May 16, 1916.

Away in a foreign land,
Beneath a lonely sod,
Lies a hero brave,
Resting in peace with God.

Inserted by his sorrowing grandfather and grandmother, A. J. and Hannah Pembaine, and auntie and uncle, Rose and Will Tranter, and cousins.

PADDON.—In memory of our brother, who was killed at Gallipoli June 12, 1915. Inserted by his brothers and sisters.

PADDON.—In loving memory of our dear brother and brother-in-law, L.-corporal Fred. G. Paddon, killed in action at Gallipoli, June 12, 1915. Inserted by Harry and Margaret Paddon.

PADDON.—In loving memory of F. G. Paddon (Fred die), H Coy., 4th Battalion, killed June 12, 1915, at Gallipoli. He rests content; his duty nobly done. Inserted by his friends, Laura Tinsley, Billy, Upjohn.

QUINLAN.—May 23, 1916, Private William Quinlan, died of wounds received on May 4, loved cousin of Claude Vaughan and Teresa Roache.

QUINLAN.—In loving memory of our cousin, Private William Quinlan, who died May 23, 1916, from wounds received in France on May 4, 1916. Inserted by his loving cousins, Patrick and John Quinlan, Alexandria.

DEATHS.

BASSETT.—June 10, 1916, at 4 Arthur-street, Marrickville, Mary Calander Bassett, aged 74 years.

BROCK.—June 11, 1916, at her residence, 154 Elizabeth-street, Waterloo, Margaret Brock, in her 76th year. R.I.P.

CROSS.—June 11, 1916, at Mater Misericordiae Hospital, North Sydney, Arthur George Cross, beloved husband of Nellie Cross, aged 27 years. R.I.P.

CUNNINGHAM.—June 10, 1916, at 28 Temple-street, Stanmore, fallen asleep in Christ, Ann Maria Cunningham, in her 80th year, beloved mother of William and Esther M. Cunningham, Epping.

CUNNINGHAM.—June 10, 1916, Mrs. Ann M. Cunningham, relict of the late James Cunningham, of 28 Temple-street, Stanmore, aged 79 years. With Christ.

DAVIES.—June 11, 1916, at his late residence, 3 Church-street, Paddington, William Davies, late of the "Evening News" office, in his 62nd year.

FENNELL.—June 10, 1916, at South Sydney Hospital, Daniel Joseph, beloved husband of Sarah Ann Fennell, late of Narrandera, aged 72 years.

FORTIER.—June 10, 1916, at his son-in-law's residence, Lancelot-street, Five Dock, William A. Fortier, aged 85 years.

HAYSOME.—June 10, 1916, Alfred Haitcine, late of Carlisle-road, Mosman, and formerly of Goulburn and Cootamundra, aged 75 years.

HUGHES.—June 10, 1916, at her late residence, 23 Bellevue-terrace, Drummoyne, Mary Ann, beloved wife of Joseph Henry Hughes, in her 78th year. Late of Surry Hills.

KNOWLES.—June 10, suddenly, Francis Edward Knowles, of Gwynedd-ave., Cremorne-road, Cremorne.

LAWLESS.—June 10, 1916, at her residence, 14 Prospect-street, Moore Park, the dearly loved mother of Will, Myles, Elsie, Mary, and Jim, aged 52 years. R.I.P.

McCLUSKEY.—June 7, at Royal Prince Alfred Hospital, Alfred H. C. McCluskey, beloved husband of Florence E. McCluskey, and father of Alfred, Darcey Jack, and Albert, aged 61.

McCLUSKEY.—June 7, at Royal Prince Alfred Hospital, Alfred H. C., beloved eldest son of the late Hugh More (C. E.) and Marianne McCluskey, aged 61.

McDOUGALL.—June 11, 1916, Agnes Haxton, dearly beloved daughter of Hugh and Annie Gray McDougall, Alella, 24 Musgrave-st., Mosman, aged 6 years and 6 months.

MASON.—June 9, 1916, at Royal North Shore Hospital, Harold Frank, beloved son of Harold F. and Maud Mason, Chandos-street, St. Leonards, aged 2 years and 4 months (accident).

MOONEY.—June 10, at the residence of her daughter, Church-street, Wollongong, Sarah, relict of the late Bernard Mooney, of Armidale, in her 74th year.

PECK.—June 10, 1916, at his residence, 12 Glebe-street, Paddington, James Peck, dearly beloved husband of Mary Ann Peck, aged 72 years.

PENDER.—June 10, 1916, George, beloved husband of Elizabeth Pender, of Milton, South Coast, in his 77th year.

PERDRIX.—June 11, in her 84th year, Vincentine, widow of the late Jean Perdrix, and mother of Mrs. Fred. J. Broomfield, Mrs. Harper (Broome), Mrs. Robert (Sydney), and Chas. Perdrix (Noumea), at the residence of her son-in-law, Mrs. Fred. J. Broomfield, The Grange, Forest-street, Marrickville. R.I.P.

PERRY.—June 10, 1916, at his late residence, Cobra Villa, Brownlow-hill, Kensington, Joseph Perry, beloved husband of Caroline Frances Pugh, aged 63 years. R.I.P.

SANDERS.—June 10, at Sydney Hospital, the result of an accident, Ada Jane, widow of the late Rev. H. Sanders, incumbent of St. Philip's, Auburn, aged 60 years. Funeral will leave Mortuary Platform for Necropolis to-day at 1.55 p.m.

SAUNDERS.—June 10, Ada Jane Saunders, beloved mother of Mrs. Ernest Roe, Bellbridge, Mrs. Barfield; Mrs. Walter Reynolds, Trevallyn, Gresford; the Misses Saunders, Shirley, Edgecliff; W. H. Saunders, Edgecliff; A. Bank, Strathfield; and Lieutenant N. A. Saunders, O.C. Contact Co., Holdsworthy. Funeral will leave Mortuary Platform for Necropolis to-day at 1.55 p.m.

SMITH.—June 11, 1916, at Waterfall Sanatorium, Thomas Charles Smith, late of S.S. Warfalda, aged 53 years.

WILLINGS.—June 10, at his residence, Valmai, 778 King-street, Tempe, John, dearly beloved husband of Susanah Willings, and beloved father of W. A. Whitby, H. J. Willings, and the late W. C. Whitby, aged 81 years. By request, no flowers.

IN MEMORIAM.

ALVIS.—In loving memory of our dear mother and grandma, Jane Alvis. Inserted by her loving daughter and son-in-law, Annie and Edward Wood, and grandchildren, Short-street, Homebush.

BADDOCK.—In loving memory of our dear father and grandfather, Samuel Joseph Baddock, who departed this life June 12, 1915. Inserted by his loving son and daughter and grandaughters.

BOBERG.—In loving memory of my dear husband and our dear father, Edvard Boberg, who departed this life June 12, 1915.

Sweet Heart of Jesus have mercy on his soul,
Although three years have now gone past
Since that great sorrow fell,
Yet in our hearts we mourn the loss
Of one we loved so well.

Inserted by his loving wife and children.

BOWDEN.—In affectionate memory of dear mother, Elizabeth Bowden, who departed this life June 12, 1914. At rest. Inserted by her loving daughter and son-in-law, Rose and Dan Molloy.

BOWDEN.—In ever-loving memory of my dear mother, Elizabeth Jane Bowden, who died June 12, 1914, aged 70 years. Always remembered and sadly missed by her daughter, Elizabeth.

BOWDEN.—In loving memory of my dear mother, Elizabeth Jane Bowden, who departed this life June 12, 1914. Inserted by her loving daughter, Florence.

BUDDOM.—In loving memory of our dear father, Henry Buddom, who passed away on June 12, 1914, in his 88th year. At rest. Inserted by his loving daughters, Elizabeth Williamson and Harriett Blake.

CANNON.—In loving memory of our dear mother, Mary Cannon, who departed this life at Croydon, June 11, 1912, aged 72 years.

Days of sadness still come o'er us,
Hidden sweet tears will flow;
For memory keeps my mother near me,
Though she died three years ago.

Inserted by her loving son and daughter-in-law, Timothy and Lucie Donnelly, and grandchildren.

CLARKSON.—In loving memory of my dear husband and our father, William Thomas Clarkson, who departed this life June 12, 1909. Inserted by his loving wife and children, Annie, Ada, Phoebe, and Mount.

CLARKSON.—In loving memory of our dear father and grandfather, William Thomas Clarkson, who departed this life June 12, 1909. Inserted by his loving children and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. James Glendenning and family.

CLARKSON.—In loving memory of our dear father, William Thomas Clarkson, who departed this life, June 12, 1909. Inserted by his loving son and daughter, Will and Kate, and grandchildren.

CLIFFORD.—In loving memory of our dear daughter, Florence Gertrude Clifford, who departed this life June 12, 1915.

Just when her life was brightest,
Just when her hopes were best,
She was called from this world of sorrow
To a home of eternal rest.

Inserted by her loving father and mother and family.

CLIFFORD.—In loving memory of our dear sister, Florrie, who departed this life June 12, 1915.

Gentle in mind, patient in pain,
Dear Florrie has left us, heaven to gain;
We know that our years, be they many or few,
Will be years of remembrance, dear Florrie, of you.

Inserted by her loving brother and sister-in-law, Jim and Linda.

CLIFFORD.—In sad but loving memory of our dear sister, Florence Gertrude Clifford, who departed this life June 12, 1915.

It is I to-day who knows the loss
Of the one I loved so well;
But some day I hope, dearest sister,
With you ever more to dwell.

Inserted by her loving sister and brother-in-law, Polly and Jack Brooks

CLIFFORD.—In loving memory of our dear friend, Florence Gertrude Clifford, who departed this life June 12, 1915. Inserted by her loving friends, Mr. and Mrs. Baird and family.

COOK.—Sacred to the memory of my beloved wife, Adelaide Cook, who departed this life June 12, 1911, aged 44 years.

Five lonely years have passed away,
Since thy spirit took its flight,
And winged its way to heaven above,
The realms of eternal light.
Once before, but not forgotten,
Your memory is ever green;
Your favourite chair is before me,
Your little garden oft are seen.
And when I quit this vale of tears,
To meet you with the pure and free,
There at the bright and pearly gates,
You'll be first to welcome me.
There we shall join our darling one,
On that bright and golden shore;
Join in the everlasting song,
With the host for evermore.

Inserted by her beloved husband, W. H. Cook.

IN MEMORIAM.

COOK.—In loving memory of my dear husband and our father, who died June 12, 1908, late of Pulteney Hotel, Tempe. Never forgotten. Inserted by his wife and family.

COOKE.—In loving memory of our dearly beloved mother, Mary, who departed this life June 11, 1915.

She always had a willing hand
For those who needed help.
She never spoke of what she did,
But kept it to herself.

Inserted by her loving son and daughter-in-law, Herb and Lena, and little Henry.

DALEY.—In loving memory of our darling daughter, Muriel, who departed this life June 12, 1915, aged 7 years and 5 months.

One year ago, none can tell
How anxiously we stood
Beside our little darling's bed,
To save her if we could.
Dear gently with our darling,
Was oft our pleading cry.
Oh, trust Me with your precious one,
Soft came the Lord's reply.

Inserted by her loving father, mother, sister.

DALEY.—A tribute of love to our dear little granddaughter, Muriel Daley, and our dear little niece, who departed this life June 12, 1915. Inserted by her loving grandmother and uncles, Gus and Norman, on active service.

DALEY.—In loving remembrance of our dear little niece, Muriel Daley, who departed this life June 12, 1915. Gone, but not forgotten. Inserted by her loving aunty, Violet, cousin Frankie, and uncle Bob, on active service.

DARGO.—In loving memory of Rose Dargo, who departed this life June 12, 1915, aged 40 years. Inserted by her loving husband and daughter, Madge. Peace, perfect peace.

DEW.—In loving memory of my dear wife, Mary Amelia Dew, who departed this life June 12, 1915, aged 50 years.

She gave me her hand before she died,
I heard her last faint sigh;
But, oh, it was so hard to think
She could not say good-bye.

Inserted by her loving husband, Emanuel Dew.

DEW.—In loving memory of my dear mother, Mary Amelia Dew, who departed this life June 12, 1915, aged 50 years.

Always dear mother, of you I am thinking,
Grieved to be from you apart;
In tears and grief I watched you sinking,
With a sad and aching heart.

Inserted by her loving daughter and son-in-law, Lizzie and Jim McEvoy.

DEW.—In sad but loving remembrance of my dear mother, Mary Amelia Dew, who departed this life June 12, 1915, aged 50 years.

A faithful mother, true and kind,
No one on earth like her can I find;
One year has passed, but none can tell
The loss of my mother I loved so well.

Inserted by her loving daughter, Theresa.

DEW.—In sad but loving remembrance of our dear mother, Mary Amelia Dew, who departed this life June 12, 1915, aged 50 years.

One year ago; no tongue can tell
How anxiously we stood
Beside our darling mother's bed,
To save her if we could.

Inserted by her loving sons, Reuben, Alick, and Emanuel.

DEW.—In loving memory of my dear mother, Mary Dew, who departed this life June 12, 1915, aged 50 years.

I mourn for you, dear mother,
But not with outward show;
For those who mourn sincerely
Mourn silently and low.

Inserted by her loving son, William Dew.

DEW.—In loving memory of my dearly beloved sister, Mary Amelia Dew, who departed this life on June 12, 1915. May God have mercy on her soul. Dead, but not forgotten. Inserted by her loving sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. O'Donnell.

DUBBER.—In loving memory of our dear mother, Selina Dubber, who departed this life June 12, 1915, aged 45 years.

Days of sadness still come o'er us,
Hidden secret tears still flow,
For memory keeps my mother near us,
Though she died three years ago.

Inserted by her loving son and daughter-in-law, Jack and Mabel.

DUBBER.—In loving memory of our dear mother, Selina Elizabeth Dubber, who departed this life June 12, 1915, aged 45 years.

'Tis twelve months ago to-day
Whilst standing by her bed,
To see our darling loved one
Was lying on it dead.
Oh, no her dear, how I miss you,
Miss you, yes, no tongue can tell,
Earth and sea now you,
Heaven has found you.
Jesus doeth all things well.

Inserted by her loving daughter and son-in-law, Sarah and Will Tranter.

DUBBER.—In sad but loving memory of our dear sister, Selina Elizabeth Dubber, who passed away June 12, 1915.

A better sister never lived,
Nor one so good and kind;
Her equals in this weary world
Are very rarely find.

Inserted by her loving sister and brother-in-law, A. and H. Turrall; also nephew and niece, Charlie and Nellie.

DUBBER.—In sad and loving memory of our dear sister-in-law and aunt, Selina Dubber, who departed this life June 12, 1915.

Twelve months have passed since that sad day
When our dear sister-in-law and aunt was called away
From her loving husband, it was His will;
Forget her, no, we never will.

Inserted by her loving brother and sister-in-law, niece and nephew, Charles, Fanny, Doris, and Theo.

DUBBER.—In loving memory of our dear mother, Selina Dubber, who departed this life June 12, 1915.

Twelve months have passed since that sad day
When our dear sister-in-law and aunt was called away
When our dear sister-in-law and aunt was called away
God rest her, it was His will;
Forget her, no, we never will.

Inserted by her loving brother and sister-in-law, niece and nephew, Charles, Fanny, Doris, and Theo.

ECCLES.—In loving memory of my dear mother, Mary Agnes Eccles, who departed this life June 11, 1910 at Fremantle, W.A.), Inserted by her son-in-law, loving son and daughter-in-law, William and Selina Eccles.

FALKNER.—A tribute to the memory of my dear friend, James H. Falkner, who departed this life (suddenly) at Crampel, June 11, 1912. Sweet rest in heaven. Inserted by his loving friend, Alma Lloyd.

FITTON.—In fond remembrance of our dear brother, Henry Thomas (Harry), who died suddenly on June 12, 1912; also Francis William, who died suddenly May 28, 1913. Inserted by his affectionate sisters, Anna and Theresa. R.I.P.

FITTON.—In fond remembrance of our dear brother, Henry Thomas (Harry), who died suddenly on June 12, 1912; also Francis William, who died suddenly May 28, 1913. R.I.P. Inserted by their affectionate sisters, Anna and Theresa.

FLOOD.—In loving memory of my darling wife and our dear mother, Elizabeth Flood, who died at her residence, 65 Cooper-street, city, June 12, 1911.

My heart is sad and weary,
The tears drop from my eyes,
Thinking of my darling wife
In her cold grave, where she lies.
She is gone, lost not forgotten,
Nor is the aged advice she gave,
Sweetest thoughts shall ever linger
Around our darling mother's grave.

Inserted by her loving husband, Thomas, and daughter, Bernard, and grandchildren, Eileen, Lloyd.

FRANCIS.—In loving memory of our dear mother and grandmother, Sarah Francis, who departed this life June 12, 1914.

We who love you sadly miss you,
As it dawns another year;
In the lonely hours of thinking
Thoughts of you are ever near.

Inserted by her loving daughter and son-in-law, Esther and Alfred Batchelor, and granddaughter, Ethel.

FRANCIS.—In loving memory of our dear mother, who departed this life June 12, 1914. At rest. Inserted by her loving son and daughter-in-law and grandchildren, George, Maggie, and Ethel.

HORNER.—In loving memory of our dear mother and grandmother, Emma Horner, who died June 11, 1915.

We who love you sadly miss you,
As it dawns another year;
In the lonely hours of thinking
Thoughts of you are ever near.

Inserted by her loving daughter and son-in-law and grandchildren, Mr. and Mr. J. Grigg, Ern, Elsie, George, Violet, Minnie, Luther, Thelma, Laurence.

JONES.—In loving memory of my dear husband and our father, David, who passed away at Leichhardt, June 12, 1915, in his 59th year.

When the trumpet of the Lord shall sound,
And the morning breaks eternal bright and fair,
When the saved of earth shall gather on the other shore,

When the roll is called up yonder, I'll be there.

Inserted by his loving wife and children, Wesley, Ada, and Lily.

KERHAN.—In loving memory of my dear father, James Keighran, who departed this life on June 12, 1915. Inserted by his loving son, John, and family.

McALLUM.—In loving memory of my dear wife and our mother, Elizabeth Ann McCallum, who departed this life at Bridge-street, Drummoyne, on June 12, 1908. Gone, but not forgotten. Inserted by her loving husband, daughter, and son-in-law, John McCallum, Elsie and Charles Allen.

McCALLUM.—In loving memory of our dear mother, Elizabeth Ann McCallum, who departed this life June 12, 1908. Inserted by her loving daughter and son-in-law, Elsie and Charles Allen.

McILWRAITH.—In loving memory of my dear mother, who passed away June 12, 1910, aged 75 years. Inserted by her loving daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Warden, Wylie-avenue, Lakemba.

McILWRAITH.—In fond and loving memory of our dear mother and grandmother, Mary Maria McIlwraith, who departed this life June 12, 1910. Inserted by her loving daughter and son-in-law, Emma and Arthur Piggott, and family. Love's remembrance lasts for ever.

McLEOD.—In sad but loving memory of our dear daughter and sister, Minnie, who departed this life June 12, 1915, aged 13 years 10 months.

We cannot tell who next may fall
Beneath death's chastening rod;
One must be first; so let us all
Prepare to meet our God.

Inserted by her loving father and mother, J. and I. McLeod, and sister and brothers.

McLEOD.—In loving remembrance of my dear son, Alex., and our brother, who departed this life at Balgowlah (W.A.), June 12, 1912.

Too far away thy grave to see,
But not too far to think of thee.

Inserted by his loving mother and sisters and brother.

McNAMARA.—In fond and loving memory of my dear mother, Julia McNamara, who departed this life June 12, 1913.

As she lies in peaceful sleep
Her memory I will always keep.

Inserted by her fond daughter, F. Gardner.

McNAMARA.—In loving memory of our dear mother, who departed this life on June 12, 1913, aged 59 years.

A precious one from us has gone,
The voice we loved is stilled;
A place is vacant in our home
Which never can be filled.

Inserted by her loving children, Mary, Joseph, Jennie, Annie, and little granddaughter, Minnie.

McNAMARA.—In fond and loving memory of our dear mother and grandmother, who departed this life June 12, 1913, aged 59 years. At rest. Thus closed one of the sweetest and most self-sacrificing of lives, an exemplary wife and mother, her works do follow her. Inserted by her loving son and grandson, Will and Billie.

McNAMARA.—In loving memory of our dear mother and grandma, Julia, who departed this life June 12, 1913. Peacefully sleeping. Inserted by her loving daughter and son-in-law, Bessie and Louis Munn, and family, of Taree.

McNAMARA.—In fond remembrance of my dear friend, Mrs. McNamara, who passed away June 12, 1913.

As she lies in peaceful sleep,
Her memory I will always keep.

Never forgotten by her old friend, James Gould.

MANNELL.—In fond remembrance of my dear husband and our dear father, James Henry Mannell, who departed this life June 12, 1910. Inserted by his devoted wife and children, Edith, Beatrice, and Daisy, Albert, Stanley, and Percy. Sadly missed.

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IN MEMORIAM.

MARTIN.—In loving memory of my dear son and our brother, Richard Alfred (Dick), who departed this life June 11, 1915. Loved by all. Inserted by his loving mother, God brother, and sisters, Clara, Arthur, Jack, Joe, Bob, Alick, and Lily.

MILLETT.—In loving remembrance of our dear sister, Anne Millett, who departed this life June 10, 1912, aged 38 years. Inserted by her loving brothers, Herbert and Chas. Holroake. R.I.P.

MOLONEY.—In loving memory of our dear daughter, Florrie, who died in Arizona, U.S.A., June 11, 1915. Sweet Heart of Jesus, have mercy on her soul. Inserted by her loving father and mother, Michael Joseph and Emma Moloney.

PEARSON.—In loving memory of our dear father, Daniel, who departed this life June 11, 1915. Inserted by his loving sons, Lawrence and Edward Pearson.

PEARSON.—In loving memory of our dear father, Daniel, who departed this life June 11, 1915. Inserted by his loving son-and daughter-in-law, John and Fannie Pearson.

PEIRCE.—In loving memory of my dear husband, W. Peirce, died suddenly, Brisbane, June 12, 1915. Late s.s. Bombala. Inserted by his loving wife, Annie.

PINKERTON.—In loving memory of our dear daughter and sister, Lydia, who departed this life May 12, 1905, aged 25 years.

To a home of beauteous splendour,
From a world of care and woe,
But the brightest, best, and purest
Are the first to go.

Inserted by her loving father and mother, sister, and brothers.

PINKERTON.—In loving memory of our dear son and brother, Percival, who departed this life June 11, 1905, aged 20 years.

We can but suffer day by day,
If amend is bitter grief,
To see him slowly fade away,
And could not give relief.

Inserted by his loving father and mother, sister, and brothers.

QUINN.—June 1, 1916, at her late residence, Glenquinn, Wolly Wally, Camillo, Mary, relict of the late Daniel Quinn, aged 79 years and 4 months. Rest in Peace.

RANDALL.—In loving memory of my dear sister, Nellie, who departed this life June 12, 1914. Inserted by her loving brother, Ernest Graham.

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Her memory dear is within the hearts of those who knew her worth.

Inserted by her loving brother and sister-in-law, William and Martha Graham.

ROGERS.—June 10, at dreamyal, Tweed River, Percy Rogers, son Percy Charles Rogers, and nephew of E. A. (Joe) Rogers, of Marrickville. There is sweet rest in Heaven.

RYAN.—In fond and loving memory of my dear wife and our mother, Jennie, who departed this life June 12, 1915, at her residence, La Esmeralda, Leichhardt. Inserted by her loving husband, Harry Ryan, and children, Esme and Harry. R.I.P.

RYAN.—In fond and loving remembrance of my dear daughter and our sister-in-law, Jennie, who departed this life June 12, 1915. Inserted by Honorah, Jessie, and Ethel Ryan. R.I.P.

RYAN.—In fond memory of our dearly loved daughter and sister (Jennie), who departed this life June 12, 1915. Inserted by her loving father and mother, Richard and Annie Pape and brother and sisters.

STRICKLAND.—In fond remembrance of my dear Dad, who died June 6, 1915, aged 67. Inserted by his little Dot.

RETURN THANKS.

Mr. W. F. and Mr. E. H. FISHER desire to return their sincere THANKS to all relatives and friends, Messrs. Sulgrave and Co., Mrs. Middleton, and Sister at Sacred Heart Hospital, for their many kindnesses to dear father in his late illness and death.

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NEUTRALS AND ALLIES.

The present crisis in the relations between Greece and the Allies has developed on lines almost exactly parallel to those of the even more engrossing crisis of last year. Then, as now, there was an obvious division of feeling between the army and the Court on the one hand, and the people on the other. Then, as now, the leader of the popular party, the friend of the Allies, was the man who had added new provinces to Greece, had restored order to the internal government, and had so revised her finances that the credit of the country stood high with the European Powers. Against him there stood, as there stand to-day, the bulk of the army, the Ministry, and the Court, with a large number of newspapers, subsidised or inspired by German money. The difference between the two crises is that since the end of last year the differences between the two parties have been considerably accentuated. The Venizelists are prepared to give a more disinterested support to the Allies now than when they hoped to obtain many thousands of square miles on the coast of Asia Minor. They are prepared to risk the fortunes of their country for the sake of the goodwill of Great Britain, France, Russia, and Japan. The Monarchists are prepared to put a more grave affront on the popular feeling by allowing not only Germans and Austrians, but Bulgarians, to enter Greek territory. The extent of the division naturally revealed itself before it was put to the test. The Venizelists, besides encouraging their leader to re-enter politics, have for some time been holding nationalist demonstrations, the most important of which fell on the anniversary of Greek independence. They have constantly been interrupted and threatened with arrest by bands of soldiers, who were ordered to prevent any disrespectful comment on the policy of the Government. Ministers, on the other hand, have been convicted of acts favourable to the enemy, apart from any secret agreement which may have been entered into with Bulgaria. The result has been the further humiliation of the country. In March last they were compelled to assent to a protest of the Allies, issued at the instigation of Italy, against the admission of Deputies from Epirus into the Greek Parliament. A truly nationalist Ministry under M. Venizelos would have been able to answer that the cession of Epirus was agreed to two years ago in accordance with the wishes of the Epirates, and would be observed in spite of the Italians. To-day they have to submit to a humiliation which a nationalist Government would never have incurred, the informal blockade of their coast by Great Britain and France. Last year King Constantine was able to explain his fear of the Germans to Lord Kitchener and M. Denys Cochin. This year the blockade comes into operation without any intervening remonstrance on the decision of the Allies that the entrance of a Bulgarian army into Greek territory was pre-arranged with King Constantine and his Ministers.

In August of last year, when there was a possibility that the Venizelists would succeed, the German Emperor sent a telegram to his sister informing her that his victorious sword was daily cutting its way through Russian fortresses, and the war was nearing its end. The Russian disasters and the battle of Suvla Bay together combined to produce two results, one of them disastrous. The Greek commanders were persuaded Germany was invincible; the Bulgarians decided that, whatever offers were made to them they must enter the war on the side of the Central Powers. Nothing that has happened in the interval has convinced any of the Balkan States that the impression produced at that time was in any respect a delusion. The State of Serbia is now represented only by the remnants of its army.

Roumania, in strengthening its internal resources, treats both sets of belligerents alike. The Bulgarians are said to be willing to make peace if allowed to retain their conquest, but on any other terms will cooperate with their allies in preventing an advance from Salonica. We can well believe that the German propagandists have induced them to accept both the Battle of Jutland and the series of assaults on Verdun as further proofs of the invincibility of their country. They will have a little more difficulty in explaining the advance of the Russian army on the Austrian front. Russia has been treated by Greece and Bulgaria as a beaten country. The German Chancellor, in stating his terms of peace, has described the portions of Russian territory which he intends to annex. The German Generals have spoken of their Russian opponents as if they could not hope for success against a civilised Power. For the immediate present, they will no doubt be prepared to say that the Russian advance will be repulsed as easily this year as last. But that answer cannot be maintained if the advance continues for any length of time. Already it has revealed a formidable preparation of artillery locally sufficient though not perhaps for the kind of fighting necessary on the Western front. The lists of Austrian prisoners tell of positions captured with their garrisons, and of whole regiments cut off. It is clear, moreover, from the debates in the Italian Parliament, and from the message of the French President, that this advance is the result of a preconceived scheme of attack. We shall see in the next few days whether the enemy has troops to meet it without weakening either the armies of Italy or of Verdun. If he has, then once again our hopes are disappointed. If he has not, then he has lost the use of interior lines, which have been his chief safeguard throughout the war. The use of interior lines is the real test whether our superiority in men and munitions is anything like sufficient. So long as the enemy can concentrate men when and where he pleases we still need more troops to save ourselves from defeat. When he has to weaken an offensive movement against Italy or Verdun to protect himself from attack we may not be sufficiently strong for a continued offensive in the west, but we have depleted the enemy of any real initiative.

SUPREMACY OF ELECTORS.

The victory of Mr. M'Donald at Bingara is no less a blow to the Government than to the Political Labour League Conference. It marks the abhorrence by the people of domination by irresponsible and self-constituted political tribunals. It is a blow at machine politics. The political labour leagues, which are small bodies of politicians and would-be politicians who by their activity advance themselves on the supineness of their fellows, censured the Labour Government, and through the Labour Government the Labour majority in Parliament, which keeps the Labour Government in power. The Labour Government and the Labour party, with the exception of Mr. M'Donald, took the censure meekly. They recognised conference as the master of the party and of Parliament. Mr. M'Donald took another view. He declared that the electorate was the master of Parliament; he resigned from the party, and submitted himself to his constituents. Labour accepted the challenge whether its conference or the people should be the final court of appeal, and nominating a candidate turned its heaviest batteries against Mr. M'Donald. Ministers deserted their offices in order to fight for the supremacy of the conference over the people. The people have given their answer. On a much smaller poll than at the general election, Mr. M'Donald has more than trebled his majority. The Liberals for the most part abstained from voting. They were content to allow Labour to settle the quarrel without any interference. Mr. M'Donald may have gained a slight personal vote, but hitherto the Labour vote has been altogether impersonal. Labour has voted for the party, not for the man. But the Bingara poll of Saturday demonstrates that there is a great number of Labour supporters not yet quite educated up to the Labour league ideal of the supreme power being vested in the conference of Labour league representatives. Labour at Bingara at any rate prefers that the people should remain the arbiters of the doings of Parliament. Two defeats of the Holman Government on the one day appear very like the writing on the wall.

SIX O'CLOCK VICTORY.

In the liquor referendum poll of Saturday 6 o'clock gained the victory by an overwhelming majority. Though the returns are incomplete, the result, as shown this morning, cannot be altered. So far as the counting has gone 6 o'clock, the reformer's choice, obtained 325,421 votes, 9 o'clock the liquor trades choice, gained 168,162 votes, with 29,508 votes distributed among the other four hours, mostly on 8 o'clock. The city as a whole gave a majority in favour of 6 o'clock, only one constituency, Darlinghurst, favouring 6 o'clock. In the suburbs the voting was solid for 6 o'clock, large majorities being given everywhere, except at Alexandria, Camperdown, and Redfern, where small majorities were cast for 9 o'clock. The country returns are largely incomplete, but so far as they have gone the country is largely in favour of 6 o'clock. Up to the present only Corowa, Cobar, Murray, and Sturt favour the later hour, and that by a small majority. A feature as far as the city and suburbs are concerned is the smallness of the poll. On a rough estimate under 50 per cent. of the city voters polled, and about 60 per cent. of the suburban voters. This, of course, makes the victory for 6 o'clock all the more pronounced, because we may be sure that the energetic personal canvass of the liquor trade brought to the poll all its available force.

The result of the referendum must be a stunning blow to the Holman Government. Parramatta showed that Government which way the popular breeze was blowing, and the Government has tried to trim its sails to catch that breeze. It could not ask Parliament to vote again for 9 o'clock, when the Government itself had thrown the 9 o'clock amendment under the table. It took the course of letting the people decide for themselves. The liquor interest with much astuteness brought down its demands to 9 o'clock, but the people have demonstrated unmistakably that opportunities for obtaining alcoholic liquor must be further restrained. When the agitation for curtailing hotel hours became pressing Parliament spoke decisively for 9 o'clock. The Government had only to act on its vaunted worship of democracy, and act as Parliament wanted it to act. Why the Government flaunted Parliament and bowed to the "trade," declaring that if 10 o'clock were not adopted there would be no alteration in the closing hour, has been an enigma to all politicians. Both Government and the "trade" must now wish they had given way to the expressed will of Parliament. As it is, the Government has shown unmistakably that it is sadly out of touch with the great body of the electorate. The trade, instead of suffering a curtailment of two hours' trading, will endure a cutting-off of five hours.

It must be realised that the reform, so far as the present enactment goes, is temporary, not permanent. It exists only for the period of the war, and for not more than six months after. The reform, temporary as it is, is an experiment. It will not abolish drunkenness. Only the weeding out by time of those who now indulge too freely, and a change in the attitude of the people as a whole towards the consumption of alcoholic beverages, will do that. But what the reform will do will be to lessen greatly the opportunities for obtaining alcoholic liquor, and so will decrease the temptations. The social instinct plays a great part in the night drinking, and it is more by the drinking indulged in on social occasions that the taste for the liquor that makes drunkards is acquired than by any that is taken as a mere thirst-quencher. Unfortunately, too, among certain sections of young men ability to imbibe freely is thought to be a sign of manhood, and the habit is acquired before the degradation to which it leads is recognised. There is no doubt that what strain of drunkenness there is in our people is being gradually bred out. Moral forces, as well as natural forces, are at work to bring this about. The impression that it is "dead form" to drink immoderately, to drink for drinking's sake, is spreading downwards. The closing at 6 o'clock will hasten the breeding out. Immature manhood which has the taint latent in it will not have the opportunity of developing the craving, and if it does no more than hindering that development early closing will have been justified. Whether the temporary measure will be turned into a permanent reform depends on the results with which the people credit it between its inception and the end of the war. The longer that period is the more certain is the measure to become permanent. The spok

GALICIA.

RUSSIAN PROGRESS.

ITALIANS.

FIERCE FIGHTING.

THE MEUSE FRONT.

The Russians have made further progress in Volhynia and Galicia.

Their total captures are now 71,000 men, 91 guns, and 167 machine guns.

A Vienna communique admits that after bitter fighting strong Russian forces drove the Austrians to the western bank of the Strypa.

Artillery has been active in all sectors of the Meuse, but there have been no infantry actions.

Desperate fighting continues in the Trentino.

The Admiralty says it has now been established that the cruiser Hampshire, with Lord Kitchener aboard, struck a mine.

Admiral Sir David Beatty, referring to the recent naval battle in the North Sea, declared that our fleet inflicted far greater damage on the Germans than they inflicted on us.

FATE OF HAMPSHIRE

STRUCK A MINE.

SEA SWAMPS BOATS.

REPORT BY ADMIRALTY.

LONDON, June 11.

The Admiralty has made the following announcement:—

"Admiral Sir John Jellicoe reports that it is now established that the cruiser Hampshire struck a mine at about 8 o'clock in the evening. Two destroyers had accompanied the ship until the captain was compelled to detach them, about 7 o'clock, owing to the very heavy seas.

"According to the statements of the few survivors, the explosion occurred shortly before 8 p.m., and the cruiser sank in 10 minutes. All vessels sent to the scene were ordered to search for and assist the four boats seen to leave the ship. Despite all efforts, there is no doubt that the boats were wrecked in the heavy sea, on a lee shore, and, beyond the 12 survivors who came ashore on the raft, all hope for the safety of those on board must be abandoned."

DEATH BY EXPOSURE.

According to one report, a patrol vessel reported the Hampshire afire about 10 minutes after she left the Orkneys, and that she sank within 20 minutes. Seventy or eighty bodies came ashore, a number of them still warm.

In their desperate efforts to climb the cliffs, some of the survivors had lost their finger and toe nails. They died of exposure.

The "Daily Express" reports that Lord Kitchener and the members of his staff got clear of the wreck, but the ship's boat was swamped by the terrific sea.

TERRIBLE EXPERIENCES.

The survivors from the cruiser Hampshire met with terrible experiences. When the rafts were launched the seas were so heavy that they completely enveloped the Hampshire.

The rafts came ashore five miles from the wreck. The first intimation to the Islanders was the appearance of some exhausted seamen who tottered into a farm house and made an incoherent statement. The farmer believed that a patrol boat had been sunk. Later the full extent of the disaster was known.

Ten of the 12 rescued men are now recovering.

Several rafts have been flung into crevasses in the rocky coast. The task of recovering the dead is a hazardous one, as the bodies have to be hoisted over the face of the cliffs by ropes.

RUSSIAN VISIT KNOWN.

Lord Kitchener's proposed visit to Russia was known in England and Scotland.

An article in the "Neueste Nachrichten," Berlin, disclosed foreknowledge of Lord Kitchener's journey last week.

IMPRESSIVE FUNERAL.

The body of Lieutenant-Colonel Fitzgerald, Lord Kitchener's military secretary, was brought from the Orkney Islands, and buried at Eastbourne. There was a great demonstration. Princess Victoria, Prince Louis Alexander of Battenberg, the Earl of Derby, and several French, Russian, and Italian officers accompanied the mourners from London. The proceedings at Eastbourne were exceedingly impressive. Lieutenant-Colonel Clive Wigram represented the King.

MEMORIAL SERVICES.

CAPETOWN, June 9.

Twenty-five thousand people attended the Kitchener memorial service outside Johannesburg Town Hall.

General Botha, Premier, and members of the Cabinet attended a service in Capetown Cathedral.

AIRMAN KILLED.

Lieutenant Archibald Buchanan, of Auckland, N.Z., died from injuries received while flying at Netheravon.

WESTERN FRONT.

ARTILLERY ACTIVE.

ATTACK ON HILL 304.

"A COMPLETE FAILURE."

LONDON, June 10.

A French communique, issued at Paris on Saturday evening, reported that there had been bombardments in all the sectors of the Meuse, but there had been no infantry action.

Saturday morning's communique states: We repulsed violent attacks westward of Thiaumont Farm with heavy losses to the enemy. The enemy entered a trench between Thiaumont Farm and Caillette Wood.

An earlier communique states: Several attacks have been made on our positions at Hill 304—two to the westward and two to the south-west. They were accompanied with liquid fire, but completely failed before our curtain of machine-gun fire. No infantry attacks have been made on the right bank of the river, but there has been a violent bombardment south of Thiaumont Farm, Chapetre Wood, Fumin Wood, and south of Damloup.

GERMAN CLAIM.

A German communique says that the Bavarian Rifles and the East Prussian Infantry stormed a strong earthwork westward of Fort Vaux, and took 500 prisoners and 22 machine guns. The total prisoners taken since June 8 are 28 officers and 1500 men.

FALL OF FORT VAUX.

HEROISM OF DEFENDERS.

Major Raynal and his men held out in the cellars below the ruins of Fort Vaux to the last. What they underwent can scarcely be imagined. The bombardment with heavy shells was incessant and terrific. There were also six infantry assaults for 12 hours on Monday, in which two divisions were employed. All were repulsed. The Germans, after one hundred days, have not yet reached the second line of French defences.

A chasseur who was wounded at Fort Vaux, relates that the violence of the bombardment was inconceivable, at least 48 11-inch and 12-inch guns raining shells at an average of three every minute. When the enemy made his third infantry attack on the Glacis, the French machine-guns suddenly opened fire, and body after body rolled down the slopes, the living being carried away by the dead. The fight stopped at noon, as the trench was filled with German bodies. Major Raynal, the commandant, finding relief impossible, decided to send away the wounded. "There were pathetic scenes at parting," says the wounded chasseur. "They kissed us all, and said they would fight as long as a single man remained."

An Amsterdam message says that the German Crown Prince allowed Major Raynal, the defender of Fort Vaux, to retain his sword.

THE BRITISH LINE.

MUCH ACTIVITY.

ARTILLERY SUCCESSES.

General Sir Douglas Haig, in a report on Friday evening, says:—A party of Gloucesters entered the trenches south of Neuve Chapelle, and successfully attacked the garrison, and captured a machine gun. Our heavy artillery destroyed the railway station at Salome, east of La Basse, setting a train on fire and damaging the track. We also obtained good results against strong points behind the enemy's lines north of Hulluch.

There has been a good deal of artillery fighting east of Ypres. Our guns are engaging the enemy positions successfully and effectively. We bombarded the enemy east of Laventie, and we successfully exploded six mines at the Hohenzollern redoubt, Hulluch, Neuville St. Vaast and north-east of Albert.

The enemy heavily shelled our trenches north of the Ypres-Comines railway, and positions west of Hooge, also at Souchez and Angres. We bombarded enemy positions at La Boiselle and Loos.

The Amsterdam "Telegraaf" states that the German losses at Hooge were heavy. The Red Cross activity recalls the days of October, 1914, and April, 1915. Many hospitals at the rear are filled with wounded. The number killed is extremely large. Many hospital trains are leaving Courtral, and proceeding north.

GERMAN LOSSES.

A captured German staff-officer's notebook contains an estimate of the German losses at Verdun to the end of May at 125,000. This was based on information from reports to the general staff. The figure is now probably 450,000.

BRAVE CANADIANS.

FIERCE FIGHTING AT YPRES.

Details of the fighting in which the Canadians were engaged at Ypres on June 2 show that it was their greatest event in the war. There had not been such deadly fighting since the battle of Loos, yet the soldiers declare that there was no chance to fight. Shells assailed the salient from the front and sides, and even partly from the rear, but the Canadians showed wonderful courage and self-sacrifice. Generals Mercer and Williams visited the lines between 6 and 7 in the morning, and were just completing the round, when literally hundreds of batteries opened fire. The Canadians never heard such thunder in the trenches. Even the dug-outs could not exist. The order to retire was given at 10 past 1. General Mercer was then slightly wounded and stone deaf. A few from the front line reached the supports.

REFUSED TO RETIRE.

Some refused to retire, and went to meet the enemy. They died in the open. All was dust, smoke, and noise. It was impossible to see or hear clearly. The second phase was different. The supporting battalions received their share of the bombardment, but the Germans did not anticipate the welcome awaiting them. Canadian bombers did great execution, especially in the communication trenches. An incident is related of a clergyman in the ranks who broke his bayonet, and fell while pounding a German with his fists. A private was killed while tending his wounded chums, who refused to leave. An officer ordered the men to retire, and himself stayed till the last. He was seen flinging his empty revolver into a German's face.

RUSSIAN ADVANCE.

FURTHER SUCCESSES

OVER 70,000 PRISONERS.

TROOPS APPROACHING LEMBERG.

LONDON, June 10.

An official Russian communique says:—General Brussiloff's troops have crossed the Styr, both above and below Lutsk, and are fighting and pursuing the enemy, who is endeavouring to hold the positions in his rear.

Heavy fighting for the possession of the heights is in progress north-east of Tarnopol.

The piercing of the enemy's front in the Strypa region has resulted in our occupation of a fortified position on the east bank. We entered Bucsacz, on the Strypa, 20 miles north of the Dniester, and are developing our offensive along the Dniester. We carried the village of Sclanka, and seized a large artillery park and great quantities of shells at the village of Potoktoz.

Our total captures are now 1240 officers, 71,000 men, 94 guns, 167 machine guns, 53 bomb throwers, and a large quantity of material.

An earlier Russian communique said: The Germans are attempting to check the advance of the Russians in Volhynia and Galicia. Fresh troops have arrived from the north of Polessie. Notwithstanding powerful resistance we continue to advance along the whole front—the Pripet to the Roumanian frontier. Many Germans are among the prisoners. Cavalry led the attack on many sectors. Cossacks captured two guns, eight ammunition waggons, and 200 caissons and shells. In another sector 30 cylinders of poison gas were captured. We crossed the Strypa and some of the troops have reached the river Zlotapotok. General Mikoulline has been seriously wounded.

The enemy violently bombarded the region north-east of Krevo and south of Smorgon. They took the offensive on Thursday night with considerable forces. His attempts to reach the trenches failed.

Belgian armoured cars rendered useful service to the troops in Galicia.

AUSTRIAN COMMUNIQUES.

An Austrian communique says:—There have been extremely stubborn battles between Okno and Dobronouts. Eight attacks were repulsed in one sector, and five in another. Strong Russian forces, after bitter fighting, drove our troops to the western bank of the Strypa. We repulsed numerous attacks north-west of Tarnopol. Fighting occurred in the Lutsk region west of the Styr. Russian attempts to cross the Styr, near Kolki, and northwest of Czartorysk, failed.

An earlier Austrian communique said:—Fighting on the north-eastern front is less severe. Russian attacks, near Kolki north of Novo Alexinetz, north-west of Tarnopol, and on the Dniester, were repulsed with heavy enemy losses.

"SPLENDID VICTORY."

An official communique says that M. Poincare, President of France, in a message to the Commander-in-Chief of the Russian armies, says that the Russians' splendid victory in the operations agreed upon by the Allied staffs makes a valuable contribution to the common success.

PROCESSIONS OF PRISONERS.

The first of the Russian wounded have reached Odessa. They speak with glowing enthusiasm of the havoc done by the artillery to the Austrian defences. This was followed by the onslaughts of masses of cavalry, throwing the retreating enemy into hopeless confusion. The enemy abandoned his wounded, and whole regiments surrendered.

The railways were blocked by trains conveying prisoners and trophies, including big guns and aeroplanes. Processions of prisoners seemed to be everywhere through the countryside, marching to the nearest stations. Captured baggage trains were used to carry the Austrian wounded.

Several thousand prisoners have arrived at Kieff, and 15,000 at Khotin, including German staff-officers.

Persons arriving from Rovno state that the roaring of the guns was clearly heard 20 miles behind the firing line.

APPALLING GUN-FIRE.

An appalling Russian gunfire was opened simultaneously over the entire battle-front. Orders for the attack reached the Russian trenches on June 3, and were hailed with unstinted joy. The regiments attended religious services. The artillery opened the same day, and did not cease until midday on June 4. The infantry poured out of the trenches, and found that the first and second of the enemy lines, and even the third, were in ruins, and full of dead. The succeeding lines were defended by machine guns, firesquirts, and mines, many of which were exploded under the Russians, but the Russians were irresistible. When they reached the trenches the Austrians mostly refused to face the bayonet, and surrendered.

HUGE ENEMY LOSSES.

Petrograd messages say that a further 5500 soldiers, 90 officers, and 11 guns have been taken. The enemy's losses are estimated at between a fourth and a third of his original effectives of 650,000.

The front of 30 miles between Bucsacz and the Dniester is completely broken.

The Russians along the Styr and the Strypa have regained all the ground they had lost since September. They have crossed the Zlota Lipa, and are advancing on the Gnita Lipa.

The prisoners are in good condition, and the majority are well clothed.

The Austrians, in many instances, are asking to be separated from Germans. There is a noteworthy absence of Czechs, many of whom have latterly been sent to the Trentino.

Captured Austrian officers relate that on the eve of the Russian offensive, they were celebrating the German "victory" in the North Sea, the Russian bombardment suddenly ended their festivities. The Russians seized an Austrian railway station, and a few minutes later captured a trainload of troops and supplies, as well as a trainload of shells at another part of the front. Practically a whole division, with two generals, surrendered.

A RAPID ADVANCE.

A message received via Geneva says that the Austrians have evacuated Dubno (30 miles south-east of Lutsk, and about 100 miles from Lemberg, on the Lemberg-Rovno railway). The same report says that the Russian vanguard is now within 20 miles of Lemberg. The Russians, since the outset of the offensive, have captured 91 guns.

Other reports say that the Russian bombardment was so intense that it was heard in a continuous roar twenty to thirty miles behind the firing line. The inhabitants in Proskouroff, fifty miles distant, heard a rumbling noise like distant thunder.

The bombardment reached its highest pitch at 2 o'clock on Sunday morning. A tremendous vibration filled the air, which is said to have thrown the telegraphic and telephonic apparatus out of gear for miles around.

The infantry advanced with the watchword, "Ever forward; not a step backward."

The Germans are striving to conceal from the public the extent of the Austrian defeats. The Berlin communique merely stated:—"There is no change, as far as the German troops are concerned."

The Russians covered twenty-five miles to Lutsk in three days, through forests, marsh lands, and over battered defences.

A message despatched from London on Saturday morning said that the latest news received in Petrograd, Vienna, and Rome emphasises the far-reaching effect of the Russian victories.

The Russians were then within 60 miles of Lemberg. It was believed five Austrian armies were on the eve of a general retreat.

The Russian Embassy in Rome states that the Austrian front has been completely broken for a length of 90 miles, to a depth of 40 miles. The Russian advance threatens to envelop an entire Austrian army in the marshes. A number of Austrian Slav regiments became panic stricken, and surrendered without resistance. General von Bothmer's army is paying the penalty of the transfer of two German divisions to Verdun and one division to the Trentino.

News received, via Amsterdam, states that Lemberg is full of wounded. The population has been notified that every household must prepare to shelter soldiers seriously wounded, and who cannot be transported further. All accounts show huge Austrian losses have been sustained.

ITALIAN FRONT AFFECTED.

The news has electrified the Italian public. It is believed the Russian successes will paralyse the Austrian offensive in the Trentino.

Messages from Switzerland state that the news caused a panic among four Austrian Archdukes, who had come to witness what they expected to be the reconquest of the Italian plains. Three Archdukes hurriedly returned.

The Rome correspondent of the London "Daily Telegraph" states that four divisions of Austrian reserves in the Trentino, have started for Galicia. An Italian aviator dropped manifestos, informing the Austrians of the great Russian victories.

THE CAUCASUS.

A Petrograd communique says:—We dislodged the Turks south of Hartokop in the region of Trebizond, and dashed at the enemy's positions in the direction of Giumichekan, capturing much equipment.

GREECE.

PRESSURE BY ALLIES

150,000 MEN DEMOBILISED.

LONDON, June 9.

King Constantine, of Greece, has signed an order for the demobilisation of 12 classes of the army, comprising 150,000 men.

Mr. Martin Donohoe, correspondent for the "Daily Chronicle," telegraphing from Athens, says: "King Constantine's order for the demobilisation of 170,000 men of the Greek army has somewhat cleared the atmosphere, and it is hoped other difficulties will be satisfactorily arranged. In the meantime the economic measures of the Allies continue to cause resentful speeches in the Greek Chamber of Deputies.

"It is incorrect to describe the measures taken as a blockade. They are merely a restriction of commerce."

The "Daily Chronicle" says:—"The Allies are guarantors of Greece's independence. If King Constantine wishes to retain the friendship of the Allies, his simplest course is to use his army to expel the Bulgarian invaders."

A message from Paris says that the Greek Government is protesting to the Entente Governments against the maritime restrictions being imposed against Greek commerce. The Greeks are also assuring the Entente of their Government's good faith.

FRENCH OCCUPY THASOS.

The French have occupied Thasos (a large fertile Greek island, about 80 miles due east of Salonica, and directly opposite the port of Kavalla).

An Athens message says that the Allies have allowed a number of Greek vessels to leave the port.

EAST AFRICA.

GENERAL SMUTS' ADVANCE.

CAPETOWN, June 9.

General Smuts has cleared Pare mountains of the enemy. The Union forces now lie below the Usumbara mountains. The lights of Wilhemstal are visible.

The celerity of the movements of General Smuts disconcerted the enemy, whose whole attempt to hold the neck of the bottle formed by the Pangani closing in on the Pare mountains failed, despite the favourable terrain.

JOHANNESBURG, June 10.

It is stated that General Botha will visit General Smuts during the recess.

SUBMARINES.

NORWEGIAN SHIP LOST.

AMSTERDAM, June 10.

A submarine torpedoed the Norwegian steamer Orkedal, which was laden with maise, and bound from Rosario, in the Argentine, to Aalborg, Denmark. The crew was landed at the Dutch port of Ymuiden.

GENERAL JOFFRE.

CONFERS WITH WAR COUNCIL.

LONDON, June 10.

General Joffre, Commander-in-Chief of the French Army, conferred with the War Council in London yesterday. He drove through London to-day, and visited Richmond. M. Briand (the French Premier) strolled in Hyde Park.

Y.M.C.A. IN WAR.

Mr. E. Peacock is conferring with the English national council of the Young Men's Christian Association in regard to co-operation in providing for the Australian troops in France.

ITALIAN FRONT.

VIOLENT BATTLE.

DESPERATE AUSTRIAN ASSAULTS.

ROME, June 9.

A communique says:—Fighting of extreme violence continues on the Sette Comuni plateau. The battle against our positions, east of Canpomulo, raged desperately until 11 o'clock last night. Our infantry made hecatombs of their assailants, 203 bodies being counted on the front occupied by a single company.

The enemy received enormous reinforcements yesterday, and, after an intense bombardment by numerous batteries, the infantry made renewed attacks, east of Asiago and Campomulo. We repeatedly repulsed them, and courageously counter-attacked with the bayonet, but, at the end of the day we fell back 130 yards, in order to avoid the enemy's incessant artillery.

We made progress in the Upper Larsn Valley, in the Monte Nougno sector, the Astico valley, and the western slopes of Monte Cengio. We continue to advance in the Upper Botte and Ansei valleys.

ENEMY REPORT.

An Austrian communique says:—We captured Monte Sisemol, north of Monte Meletta, and Monte Castel Gomberto, both being strongly defended.

POLITICAL SITUATION.

GOVERNMENT CRITICISED.

ROME, June 10.

The Government has been technically defeated on a motion, granting monthly votes, on account of the Chamber refusing to insert words, expressing confidence in the Government.

The Premier, Signor Salandra, when taking part in the discussion, said that the discussion was specially important, in view of the gravity of the present moment, which demanded an explanation of the international and military situations, where on the attention of Parliament and country was anxiously fixed. He declared that the unity of the Allies was constantly increasing. As an instance of that, Italy's resistance to the Austrians was enabling the Russians to advance victoriously. The same co-operation was to be seen in economic and financial measures, and notably in the forthcoming Paris conference—though no definite engagements would be taken, and future action would be reserved for Parliament.

The London "Daily Telegraph's" Rome correspondent says the Parliamentary situation is somewhat serious. Several Liberal deputies reproach the Government with withholding from Parliament information regarding military matters and diplomatic relations, also with isolating itself from the opinion of the nation and the Allies.

Favorable conditions enabled the enemy to gain an initial success on the Italian front. "We must, with manly courage, admit that if we had been better prepared the enemy's advance could have been held up a little longer, but the advance has been arrested, and the Austrians have made little progress since their first easy success. One would be bold to say that the critical moment has successfully passed, because the flanks have been stopped by our heroic resistance in the centre, but we can view the final outcome with confidence."

TRANSPORT TORPEDOED.

ROME, June 10.

Two submarines attacked three Italian transports in the lower Adriatic. They torpedoed the Principe Umberto (7929 tons), and the vessel sank in a few minutes, about half the soldiers aboard being drowned.

STEAMER ESCAPES.

FROM SWEDISH PORT.

LONDON, June 10.

The "Daily Mail" says that the steamer Dunrobin (3617 tons), of Newcastle, has passed through the Sound, going towards England. She has been in the Swedish port of Lulea since the beginning of the war. Twenty German armed trawlers chased her, but a Swedish torpedo-boat, with the Swedish King's second son, Prince Wilhelm, commanding, convoyed the steamer through the Sound. The Dunrobin, presumably, started directly after the Jutland battle. Apparently, the German destroyers are unable to patrol the South Baltic.

FIGHT OFF ZEEBRUGGE.

BETWEEN DESTROYERS.

It is officially announced that a British patrol, consisting of monitors and destroyers, engaged the German destroyers off Zeebrugge. The enemy vessels returned to port when the monitors took up the firing. We sustained no casualties or damage.

ECONOMIC CONFERENCE.

VIEWS OF DELEGATES.

PARIS, June 9.

M. Pokrovski, president of the Russian delegation to the economic conference, in the course of an interview, said:—"The purpose of the Allies is to be independent of the German market, and to obtain supremacy in the world's markets, which victory in the war will give. When Russia is reorganised and developed, with the assistance of the Allies, she will be an inexhaustible reservoir for the Allies and neutrals."

Baron Sakatoni, the Japanese delegate, said:—"Japan, by participating in the conference, desires to prove her solidarity with the Allies. Britain's influence at the conference will be preponderant. Japan hopes Britain will forget her old freetrade principles in order to reconcile her interests with those of the Allies."

HERR LIEBKNECHT.

THE CHARGE OF TREASON.

AMSTERDAM, June 10.

A message from Berlin, through the Wolff bureau, states that the German socialist leader, Herr Liebknecht, who frequently attacked the German war party from his place in the Reichstag, has been charged with treason, and that the military authorities will shortly pass sentence upon him.

THE NAVAL BATTLE.

FRANCE'S THANKS.

KING GEORGE'S REPLY.

LONDON, June 10.

His Majesty King George warmly thanks President Poincare for his high tribute to Britain's naval victory, notwithstanding the enemy's effort to conceal the truth. The message adds:—"I am happy to find France and our Allies have appreciated the glorious results my brave sailors obtained."

A Te Deum for the naval victory will be sung in St. Paul's Cathedral and in the country generally on Sunday afternoon.

SYDNEY OFFICER LOST.

Midshipman De Carteret, a native of Sydney, was among the officers who perished on the Queen Mary.

DESTROYERS' PART.

DEEDS OF BRAVERY.

The crew of the British destroyer Sparrowhawk give vivid details of the pursuit of the German ships at night. The Sparrowhawk and other destroyers had a busy time in the day guarding Admiral Jellicoe's battleships. They were all praying for dusk to give them a chance to get among the enemy. The moment it was dark enough the destroyers slipped away, and raced with every pound of steam up. The Tipperary led the flotilla. Every man knew what was expected of him. The Sparrowhawk's crew started a popular song. The next ship took up the refrain, and ere long the crews of all the ships were singing as they raced along until the flotilla commander reluctantly ordered the singing to stop, and the men to keep quiet.

Presently the German hulls were visible in the gloom. Almost at the same instant the Germans began to fire. The Tipperary was first hit, and soon sank after she had launched two torpedoes at a German cruiser. The Sparrowhawk was now the leading destroyer. Several shells hit her, but she fired two torpedoes, which apparently got home. Suddenly a German cruiser rammed the Sparrowhawk, and sliced off her bow. But she remained afloat firing her guns. Next her stern was blown off, but the remainder still floated. A British warship rescued the crew, and blew up the derelict.

CRUISER DUBLIN.

"SANK THREE GERMAN WARSHIPS."

A gunner on the light cruiser Dublin asserts positively that she sank three German cruisers. There was a thrilling incident at midnight, when the Dublin found herself face to face with a large German ship at 100 yards range. One had to go to the bottom. It was a question of quick firing, and there was frightfully hot work for a few minutes, then a flash and a roar and the German went down. Admiral Jellicoe specially complimented the Dublin. The gunner noticed a large number of dead Germans in the sea. They were civilian clothes.

A bluejacket aboard the light cruiser Southampton states that she torpedoed the battle-cruiser Seydlitz at 350 yards range. He saw the Seydlitz sink under the Southampton's searchlight.

"GET READY."

FOR ANOTHER FIGHT.

ADDRESS BY ADMIRAL BEATTY.

Admiral Sir David Beatty, in addressing the officers and men of a battle-cruiser, said: "I offer you my sincere thanks for what will ever remain a gallant day in history. We have carried out what we hoped to do. Most of you have girls. Tell them you did your duty, which the British are always doing. You can take it from me we inflicted far greater damage on the Germans than they inflicted on us. They lost so many destroyers that we did not manage to count them. We have all lost relatives and friends, but their valuable lives have not been wasted. We must now get our ships in condition for a second round. We have only had the first, but in the second round I think they will throw up the sponge."

"BRITISH DEFEAT."

GERMAN PRESS MESSAGE.

The latest grotesque German explanation of the events leading up to the battle is contained in an American United Press wireless message from Berlin to New York, which says:—"The German Admiralty is disinclined to believe that it was Admiral Jellicoe's intention to send the fleet to the Baltic in order to complete the blockade of Germany. German officers believe that the English fleet finally succeeded in getting out of English harbours into the North Sea, and was defeated. The victory is regarded in Germany as dispelling the expectation of the Allies that they could defeat Germany's fleet."

OFFICERS AMAZED.

AT GERMAN CLAIMS.

British naval officers on furlough are amazed that the Germans claim a victory. They describe the attacks of the enemy destroyers as feeble in the extreme. They did not seem to dare to persist in attacking. The enemy's firing was accurate at first, but directly their ships were hit their shooting became wild.

An officer states that the Germans lost two vessels of the Kaiser class, two battle cruisers, four cruisers, and 20 destroyers. Five German big ships were seen on fire. The second salvo from a British vessel, 8000 yards away, disposed of all the turrets of the Lutzow except one. The Lutzow then burst into flames from aft to the foremast.

Copenhagen messages received from Kiel state that five submarines have not returned from the Skagerack battle, and are regarded as lost.

THE NEW ZEALAND.

"ACTIVE FORMIDABLE UNIT."

Complete accounts of the part taken by the New Zealand in the action show that she battered and helped to sink a big German ship, herself being only once hit. A shell struck a turret, displacing a piece of armour plate a yard square and seven inches thick. This fell on deck. The ship's company intends to present the plate to the New Zealand Museum.

The New Zealand had the good fortune to escape the first terrific onslaught, in which the British suffered their heaviest damage. The Queen Mary was the first to go. She closed up like a clasp-knife. The Invincible and Indefatigable next succumbed. The New Zealand was now in the hottest corner, the converging German salvoes intensifying her danger. The New Zealand was firing as fast as the men could serve the guns; and, with the Lion, Tiger, and Princess Royal, assisted by the destroyers, was engaging the entire German fleet. At this stage there was a spirited encounter with a German battle-cruiser, whose loss is now admitted. The New Zealand entered the action 5 minutes after it commenced, and remained an active, formidable unit throughout. She was handled superbly at top speed. Her almost miraculous escape was due to constant movement and not offering a standing mark to the German gunners.

THE WARRIOR.

CUNARD LINER'S ASSISTANCE.

The Cunard liner Campania acted as seaplane ship during the naval battle, and when the Warrior was hard-pressed the Campania got between the Germans and the Warrior, put a towline aboard and towed her for 10 hours, until the Warrior gradually sank. The liner took off the crew.

GERMANY'S LOSSES.

REPORTS FROM NEUTRALS.

The Dutch trawler Barencz, which has arrived at Ymuiden, in Holland, after having been stopped by the Germans and taken to Cuxhaven, reports that she learned in Cuxhaven that six large German warships, including the Dreadnought Ostfriesland (22,440 tons, 12 12-inch guns), and seventeen destroyers, did not return to German ports after the battle of Skagerack.

Travellers from Berlin arriving in Holland state that they heard in Germany that the new German battle-cruiser Derfflinger (28,000 tons) sank at Wilhelmshaven after the naval battle.

A Copenhagen message says that a mercantile skipper, who has been a frequent visitor to German harbours for years, states that the Pommern, which was sunk during the battle of Skagerack, was a battle-cruiser, and was completed just before that battle.

[The Dentler of the Pommern, which was among the first vessels that Germany acknowledged she lost in this battle, has not been definitely fixed. It was generally believed that the German pre-Dreadnought Pommern was sunk by a British submarine in the Baltic some months ago.]

THE NEW ZEALAND.

CONGRATULATORY MESSAGE.

WELLINGTON (N.Z.), Sunday.

The Governor received the following telegram from the Governor-General of Australia:—"The Government and people of Australia send hearty congratulations to the sister Dominion on the success of its battle cruiser in the action in the North Sea, and on the brilliant part played by its gallant crew—a victory which drove the shattered German fleet back to port. His Majesty's Australian navy joins in wishing its comrades further and final success, and hopes on that day H.M.S. Australia will go into action alongside the New Zealand."

The Governor sent the following reply:—"New Zealand thanks your Excellency for your cordial telegram of congratulation on the part played by H.M.S. New Zealand in the recent naval engagement. The forces of this Dominion are always proud to be associated with those of Australia, whether on sea or land, and look forward to the day when your hope may be realised, that the two great sister battle cruisers may fight side by side, and assist in the final overthrow of the German fleet."

THE KING'S SYMPATHY.

PERTH (W.A.), Sunday.

Mr. C. Walker, of Fremantle, has received through the Keeper of the Privy Purse a cablegram of condolence from the King and Queen at the loss of his son, Surgeon-probationer R. Walker, on H.M.S. Shark during the recent naval engagement in the North Sea.

BRITAIN'S PART.

GIGANTIC CONTRIBUTION.

LONDON, June 10.

Lord Selborne, president of the Board of Agriculture, speaking at Lincoln, said, "Those who have alleged we are not making all effort to win the war are deliberately telling an untruth. With all our blunders the nation is making a gigantic contribution—naval, military, commercial, and financial—which as was never before known in the history of mankind. On our credit, supported by our exports, rested the whole power of Russia, France, and Italy to make war. Talk of Atlas carrying the world—we are doing that to-day."

He urged farmers to cultivate their land to the utmost. It would be something like treason if they did otherwise.

SHORTAGE OF SILVER

NEW BULGARIAN MONEY.

The Paris correspondent of the "Daily Telegraph" states that silver is disappearing in Austria, Bulgaria, and Turkey, iron, steel, and lead being substituted.

Bulgaria has ordered £400,000 sterling worth of steel and lead pennies and half-pennies. Bulgaria is issuing £600,000 sterling in ten-pence and twenty-pence bank notes. All new Bulgarian money is being made in Germany.

MERCHANT SHIPPING.

The 4-masted schooner William Nottingham, which sailed from Port Pirie on February 27, has arrived at Port Townsend. The 4-masted schooner David Evans has arrived at Tacoma. She left Melbourne on February 26.

The P. and O. Company's R.M.S. Kaisar-I-Hind sailed to-day from London for Australian ports.

June 10.

The steamer Orestes, which sailed from Brisbane on March 22, has arrived at Liverpool. The Orient Company's R.M.S. Omrah, which left Brisbane on April 15, and Sydney a week later, has arrived at Plymouth. The 3-masted sch Mary Winkelman, which sailed from Newcastle on March 14, has reached Port Angeles.

The ship Neotsfield has sailed for Melbourne and the Seabank for Adelaide.

SIX O'CLOCK.

THE VERDICT.

MAJORITY OF 127,361

12 ELECTORATES FOR 9 O'CLOCK.

78 VOTE 6.

Out of a total of 1,070,890 electors in New South Wales slightly more than 50 per cent. exercised their vote on the liquor referendum on Saturday.

Of these 522,881 votes have been counted. The verdict was an absolute majority for 6 o'clock on the first count, the figures being as follow:—

Six o'clock	325,121
Seven o'clock ...	5,068
Eight o'clock ...	20,103
Nine o'clock	168,162
Ten o'clock	1,494
Eleven o'clock ..	2,933

Majority for 6 o'clock over all the other hours combined 127,361.

HOW THE ELECTORATES VOTED.

Of the ninety electorates in the State, only 12 carried 9 o'clock, the hour on which the liquor trades' campaign was focussed. Seventy-six electorates returned a solid majority for 6 o'clock, while in two—Wagga Wagga and Willyama—the margin between the two hours was less than 30, in favour of 6 o'clock. The electorates follow:—

SIX O'CLOCK.

Annandale.	Lismore.
Ashfield.	Liverpool Plains.
Albury.	Lyndhurst.
Allowrie.	Leichhardt.
Armidale.	Macquarie.
Ashburnham.	Maitland.
Bathurst.	Monaro.
Bega.	Mudgee.
Bingara.	Murrumbidgee.
Balmain.	Marrickville.
Bondi.	Middle Harbour.
Botany.	Mosman.
Burwood.	Newtown.
Burrangong.	Namoi.
Byron.	Newcastle.
Castlereagh.	Orange.
Cessnock.	Parramatta.
Camden.	Paddington.
Clarence.	Petersham.
Cootamundra.	Randwick.
Canterbury.	Redfern.
Drummoyne.	Roselle.
Dulwich Hill.	Ryde.
Darlinghurst.	Raleigh.
Durham.	Singleton.
Enmore.	St. George.
Glebe.	St. Leonards.
Gloucester.	Tamworth.
Gordon.	Tenterfield.
Granville.	Upper Hunter.
Gough.	Waverley.
Goulburn.	Willoughby.
Gwydir.	Woollahra.
Hastings and Macleay	Wagga Wagga.
Hawkesbury.	Wallsend.
Hartley.	Wickham.
Hurstville.	Willyama.
Kahibah.	Wollongong.
Lachlan.	Yass.

NINE O'CLOCK.

Alexandria.	King.
Belmore.	Murray.
Camperdown.	Phillip.
Cobar.	Redfern.
Corowa.	Surry Hills.
Darling Harbour.	Sturt.

With the exception of one seat—Corowa—all the electorates which carried 9 o'clock are held by Labour representatives in Parliament. Mr. Ball represents Corowa. Two of the 12 seats are occupied by Ministers of the Crown, viz.: Sturt, by the Acting Premier and Minister for Public Works, Mr. Cann; and Surry Hills by the Assistant Treasurer and Minister for Railways, Mr. Hoyle. Other members of Parliament whose constituents have declared for 9 o'clock are: Messrs. Hickey, Minahan, Stuart-Robertson, Morrish, Meagher, M'Gowen, Fern, and Scoble.

The polling was not heavy. It was carried out in a quiet, determined way, without demonstrations by either side. The fact that all the hotels were closed contributed much to the quiet way in which the polling was done. Keen as had been the organisation on both sides, however, the poll was a comparatively small one, only a fraction over 50 per cent. of eligible voters exercising the franchise. It was the first polling conducted by Mr. E. B. Harkness, who was only recently elevated to the post of Principal Under-Secretary and Chief Electoral Officer for the State. That gentleman had made the most perfect arrangements. The Chief Secretary, Mr. Black, also took a keen, personal interest in the referendum.

It was the first occasion on which New South Wales electors had been allowed to exercise a preferential vote. But the method of voting had been so thoroughly explained that the percentage of informal votes recorded was very low. As it happened, there was no necessity to enter upon the intricate work of counting the preferences. The referendum resolved itself into a battle between 6 o'clock and 9 o'clock.

It is 14 years since there was a referendum in this State, the last being in 1902, when the people—then only adult males, it was before women were given the right to vote—decided to reduce the number of members in the State Legislative Assembly from 125 to 90. They were given a choice to vote for 100 and for 90, and chose the smaller number. On that occasion 280,000 votes were recorded, which was a higher percentage of the total voting strength than that recorded on Saturday.

The decision of the people for 6 o'clock closing will become operative almost immediately. The Referendum Act provides that the Governor shall issue a proclamation giving effect to the will of the people forthwith on the receipt of the Chief Electoral Officers' certificate about the polling. In all probability this proclamation will be issued in about a fortnight's time.

In view of Saturday's figures, it is interesting to recall the last local option poll, taken at the 1913 general elections. On that occasion, 670,382 people voted. 380,707 of them voted for a continuance of the then existing number of hotel licenses, 44,453 voted for a reduction, while 245,302 voted straight out for no-license.

COUNTING THE VOTES.

SIX ALWAYS AHEAD.

The very first return received by the Electoral Office, Sydney, where all the counting was carried out under the supervision of the Chief Electoral Officer, Mr. E. B. Harkness, showed six o'clock to have a lead. And this lead grew larger and larger as the returns flooded in from the Telegraph Office.

Elaborate arrangements were made in the department of the Chief Secretary, Mr. Black, who administers the Electoral Branch to ensure that the result of the referendum should be known as soon and as accurately as possible. The telegrams from the various returning officers scattered all over the State, over 2000 of them, were granted priority over all ordinary messengers, and they came into the electoral office in rapid succession, by express messengers, and it took the staff of forty officials all their time to keep up with the rush of work.

The counting ceased on Saturday at midnight, having proceeded at a furious pace since

midnight. At this stage 6 o'clock had secured a clear lead of about 120,000, and the returns from 400 small booths that still remained to come in could not disturb the winning position of this hour. Indeed, if the general trend of the voting which had asserted itself so far in the telegrams to hand was to be maintained, 6 o'clock must go further ahead. So that an absolute majority for 6 on the counting of the primary votes was a certainty.

Up to 1 o'clock yesterday 522,581 votes had already been counted.

YESTERDAY'S COUNT.

The counting of the votes, which commenced at the State electoral office, on Saturday evening as soon as the first returns came in after the closing of the booths at 7 p.m., was continued till midnight and resumed yesterday morning till 1 p.m. By this time 6 o'clock had an absolute majority of 127,361 on the primary count, and the Chief Electoral Officer (Mr. E. B. Harkness) expressed the opinion that the votes remaining to be counted could not adversely affect the clear majority already standing to the credit of 6 o'clock. As far as the counting has gone 6 o'clock has secured 325,121 votes out of a total of 522,881.

There are 350 returns yet to come in, and as they relate to remote centres it is not expected by the electoral authorities that they will be very great. Then there are the absent votes to be dealt with. There is, of course, no certainty that the additional votes will decrease the 6 o'clock lead, and, indeed, taking the returns as they came in from first to last till yesterday afternoon, the probabilities are together in favour of the 6 o'clock majority being increased.

The informal votes are considered officially to be small in view of the complexity of the preferential system of voting.

PROGRESS REPORT.

The progress reports on Saturday and Sunday are as follow:—

	6	7	8	9	10	11
9 o'clock ..	41,778	646	2,787	21,656	196	63
9.30 o'clock	100,998	1,506	6,462	51,805	442	820
10 o'clock .	178,543	2,662	11,241	94,453	791	1,304
10.30 o'clock	223,410	3,496	14,333	120,471	998	1,754
11 o'clock .	279,853	4,144	17,222	145,043	1,179	2,177
11.30 o'clock	302,878	4,647	18,858	158,679	1,348	2,600
Midnight	311,992	4,797	19,253	162,782	1,392	2,686
Sunday	325,121	5,068	20,103	168,162	1,494	2,933

THE NEW HOUR.

WHEN IT WILL OPERATE.

FORMAL GAZETTAL ONLY NEEDED.

Mr. J. H. Cann, in the absence of the Premier, made a statement yesterday explaining that under the Provisions of the Liquor Referendum Act the wish of the people in regard to early closing will be given effect to without Parliament having to meet again.

"As soon as the final count is completed," said Mr. Cann, "the Returning Officer for the State will send a certificate notifying the hour carried to the Governor. The Governor thereupon will declare whatever hour is decided upon to be the law, and that will be gazetted and will take effect immediately."

"It certainly looks as if six o'clock will be carried," added Mr. Cann, "which is as I expected."

MR. MARION'S STATEMENT.

The secretary of the Alliance, Mr. James Marion, states that the result of the poll on Saturday was a complete answer to the timid politicians, who feared to enact 6 o'clock closing, on the ground that they had "no mandate from the people." The people have spoken, and in such an unmistakable way as to reveal the fact that there has been a great revulsion against the drink traffic within recent months.

Our appeal was made to reason and patriotism, and it was a triumph of intelligence over vested interests, and of personal sacrifice over appetite. The Workers' Anti-Liquor League did exceedingly useful service in labour and trades union circles; but the definite organising work was carried through largely by the recognised temperance workers. In this are included the Churches.

The results of 6 o'clock closing cannot be otherwise than good. To make the law effective, however, there must be rigid enforcement of it. Publicans who sell after hours must be prosecuted, their licenses challenged, and in every way taught that they must obey the law. Sly grog sellers, of whom there are many, especially within the city boundaries, should be given no quarter. It is noticeable that where the sly grog sellers flourish the vote for 9 o'clock was the heaviest.

No doubt the Alliance will continue its vigilance, and one of its officers was responsible for having 15 men caught together in one city publichouse on Saturday when the hotel should have been closed.

The result of the poll should have some effect upon the politicians. In the electorates of our two most formidable opponents, Mr. Holman and Mr. M'Girr, substantial majorities have been secured for 6 o'clock.

It may be claimed by the Liquor Union that it would have polled better on an election day, but the figures at Bingara, where a by-election was fought, gives a denial to this. In this electorate, at the local option polls, a 31 per cent. vote was recorded for no-license, whereas from figures to hand the percentage for for 6 o'clock was 62. For the whole State the no-license vote was 36½ per cent. at the last election. Up to the present the percentage for 6 o'clock closing is 62, whereas the result for the whole State has been to increase the percentage in favour of the 6 o'clock vote over the no-license vote by 25.

ARCHDEACON BOYCE'S VIEWS.

"The people have spoken, and their decision is most pronounced and satisfactory to the friends of temperance," said Archdeacon Boyce, president of the Alliance, yesterday.

"For some time," added Archdeacon Boyce, "the Alliance had been bombarding the enemies' trenches with solid arguments and facts. These were intensified up to Friday night, and on Saturday a charge was made along the whole line, with the result that enthusiasm and love of country captured the adversary's strongholds.

"It was a great day," continued the Archdeacon, "and we feel very thankful for the people's endorsement of our views. The victory has far-reaching effects from several points of view. It will show Parliament that the people care for moral issues, and that they will not sanction late closing hours, which lead to national ruin and disorder. There are roughly 3000 licenses of various kinds to sell drink. The result will approximately be that 15,000 hours will be knocked off the liquor traffic every week night. Six o'clock closing is the half-way house to no license—possibly more than that. It cannot be gainsaid that the excesses connected with the drink traffic have been mainly in the last hours of the night. The Alliance's chief argument was that the evening hours are the most dangerous. Therefore to cut them out has been a most notable success.

"Only big matters are dealt with by referendum. That being so the people's decision should be a permanent decision, and not merely a war-time measure. Personally I have referred very little in the controversy to the war, although others have done so. Our majority is so substantial, and the will of the people is so unmistakably expressed, that I think that the Government should allow an extension of the decision for six months after peace comes. The way has been prepared for a permanent settlement of the question. The majority for 6 o'clock closing would never have been so large if most of the people had not thought that the result of their votes would not point to a final settlement of the question."

Referring to the history of the movement, Archdeacon Boyce said:—"It originated with the Alliance, which always aimed at closing hotel bars at the same time as the shops. The agitation began on July 17, 1911, when I, with the early closing of shops in my mind, urged the necessity for limiting the drinking hours. Drinking at night greatly increased when the shops were compulsorily closed at 6 p.m., because men had more leisure to spend at the bars. The supporters of the Alliance presented 60 petitions to Parliament during the last months of 1911. The Government was known to be adverse to the movement, and would not even provide facilities for private members to proceed with a bill. The great object of the Alliance at the time was to educate public opinion—always a slow process. In 1912 a deputation waited on the Government, without result. Four other deputations approached Mr. D. R. Hall, also without avail. We still persevered, and held five great meetings at the Sydney Town Hall, which was filled to overflowing. One petition for early closing we sent to the Government had 144,000 signatures—the biggest number ever presented to an Australian Parliament. In view of all this, Mr. Holman was never justified in nailing his colours to the mast of 10 p.m. closing, and Parliament should have given us an earlier closing hour.

"The referendum is quite on the temperance party's lines. It began the movement 40 years ago to refer the question to the people. Prior to that there was no idea of letting the people vote on a disputatious public matter. It was a big fight before local option was adopted."

DETAILS OF VOTING.

CITY AND SUBURBS.

ALEXANDRIA.
(Number on roll, 30,190.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Alexandria	1180	29	142	1294	5	27
Waterloo	845	21	157	1329	12	1
Total	2025	48	300	2623	17	28

ANNANDALE.
(Number on roll, 11,280.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Annandale	1413	38	106	625	2	5
Forest Lodge	136	4	23	140	—	—
Nth. Annandale	676	12	34	275	—	6
Petersham	450	2	40	253	1	—
Sth. Annandale	902	12	45	405	2	3
Total	3584	68	248	1698	6	14

ASHFIELD.
(Number on roll, 14,002.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Bland-street	692	10	11	105	—	1
Haberfield	2106	30	55	286	1	1
Town Hall	2578	34	74	537	4	10
Summer Hill	1709	18	49	358	2	—
Total	7085	92	189	1286	7	12

BALMAIN.
(Number on roll, 11,231.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Balmain	1466	17	81	845	3	10
East Balmain	971	18	70	532	6	4
North Balmain	1129	20	79	639	3	3
Total	3566	55	224	2016	12	16

BELMORE.
(Number on roll, 10,288.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Castlereagh-street	730	16	104	1252	9	8
Chalmers-street	562	10	73	1230	8	5
Total	1292	26	176	2672	17	13

BONDI.
(Number on roll, 15,102.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Bondi	451	6	20	165	—	2
Double Bay	577	2	27	107	1	—
Edgecliff	1315	20	103	439	4	2
New S. H.-road	215	2	9	22	—	—
Rose Bay	655	9	32	178	—	—
Watson's Bay	534	5	22	162	2	2
Waverley	577	15	39	235	1	1
Wellington-street	968	14	39	277	1	1
Total	5195	73	290	1649	9	8

BOTANY.
(Number on roll, 18,881.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Beaconsfield	270	5	65	480	4	2
Botany	925	14	57	519	4	3
Mascot	1343	18	98	836	4	8
Rosebery Camp	2	—	—	9	—	—
St. Peters	856	1	60	1259	3	7
Tempe	172	2	16	111	1	—
Total	3469	45	296	3309	16	16

BURWOOD.
(Number on roll, 15,084.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
George's River	532	3	15	60	—	1
Strathfield	1046	16	32	124	4	1
Strathfield South	216	1	13	64	—	—
Homebush	1614	4	15	73	—	—
Burwood	2630	24	64	529	—	—
Croydon	1050	10	39	181	—	2
Enfield	919	11	22	363	1	2
Total	8307	69	204	1294	5	10

CAMPERDOWN.
(Number on roll, 11,251.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Camperdown	1279	19	100	964	3	1
Darlington	842	17	98	1173	2	2
Forest Lodge	359	7	38	410	1	2
Total	2481	43	236	2647	5	5

CAMDEN.
(Number on roll, 12,835.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Camden	1063	11	53	313	4	4

CANTERBURY.
(Number on roll, 20,380.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Bankstown	230	4	17	192	1	3
Belmore	745	9	39	218	..	2
Campsie	1668	30	71	475	2	3
Canterbury	856	6	30	277	2	4
Cent. Bankstown	557	23	118	2	4	
Croydon Park	314	5	15	72	—	4
Forest Hill	113	5	6	31	—	—
Hurlstone Park	861	16	28	131	2	—
Illawarra-road	784	7	33	197	—	5
Lakemba	730	15	23	106	1	4
Warren Camp	1	—	1	—	—	—
N. Bankstown	101	3	3	18	—	—
Penshurst Park	144	3	7	29	—	—
Punchbowl	377	7	13	91	1	—
South Ashfield	646	5	15	94	—	—
South Bankstown	218	3	3	33	—	1
West Enfield	53	5	5	41	1	—
Total	8170	130	333	2223	13	28

DARLINGHURST.
(Number on roll, 12,498.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Darlinghurst	2668	33	246	1956	3	9

DARLING HARBOUR.
(Number on roll, 10,102.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Town Hall	329	12	50	804	5	7
Point-street	278	9	51	615	5	5
Harrington-street	672	31	110	1508	11	17
Total	1279	52	211	2631	21	29

DRUMMOYNE.
(Number on roll, 15,078.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Concord	699	8	37	198	2	—
Drummoyne	2650	40	45	674	4	6
Five Dock	1139	18	46	246	—	4
Hunter's Hill	640	7	25	150	—	2
Mortlake	191	—	12	160	—	—
Powell's Estate	831	11	31	137	1	1
Woolwich	388	6	15	79	1	1
Total	6538	90	306	1644	8	14

DULWICH HILL.
(Number on roll, 13,830.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Norwood	1068	12	29	303	2	2
Livingstone	759	8	29	188	10	2
Hurlstone Park	510	3	16	81	3	—
Dulwich Hill	2374	15	56	414	2	6
Summer Hill	1056	7	39	190	2	—
Warren	522	5	16	104	—	1
Military Camp	1	—	—	1	—	—
Total	6290	50	185	1281	19	11

ENMORE.
(Number on roll, 11,998.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Enmore	1157	22	66	590	5	5
Marrickville	494	3	25	220	—	2
Newtown	986	11	68	710	1	5
Stanmore	527	3	26	120	1	—
South Annandale	575	3	13	169	—	4
Total	3739	42	198	1809	7	19

GLEBE.
(Number on roll, 11,633.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Derby-place	518	4	45	557	4	2
Mitchell-street	474	5	52	779	2	2
St. John's-road	738	15	76	713	4	11
Toxteth-road	1147	23	91	556	11	32
Total	2677	47	264	2605	21	47

GORDON.
(Number on roll, 16,889.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Chatswood	3053	26	62	375	4	5
Crow's Nest	365	4	23	131	3	2
Gordon	620	3	20	85	1	1
High-street	272	2	7	54	—	1
Killara	551	5	16	33	—	—
Lindfield	342	2	16	40	—	—
Longueville	498	2	15	41	—	—
Mowbray-road	875	13	24	135	1	1
Roseville	961	5	27	65	—	2
St. Ives	140	1	5	33	—	—
Willoughby	977	16	39	208	—	2
Total	8155	81	364	1103	9	14

GRANVILLE.
(Number on roll, 17,997.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Auburn	1962	20	86	633	5	6
Flemington	228	3	14	82	—	—
Granville	1909	17	121	713	7	9
Guildford	889	3	29	133	—	3
Holroyd	160	1	5	68	—	2
Homebush	114	1	4	66	—	—
Merrylands	280	6	13	62	—	2
North Auburn	429	6	26	230	3	—
Rookwood	1060	17	78	569	3	2
South Rookwood	97	—	10	48	—	—
Total	6861	74	384	2605	18	24

KING.
(Number on roll, 11,262.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Castlereagh-st	580	8	62	606	2	2
Circular Quay	203	3	14	98	—	1
Woollloomooloo Sth.	409	7	71	687	8	6
Woolloomooloo	472	10	71	934	7	—
Total	1665	28	219	2325	17	9
(Lord Howe Island vote to come.)						

LEICHHARDT.
(Number on roll, 13,014.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Leichhardt	3598	43	207	1504	12	8
Leichhardt Hill	550	13	33	201	2	4
Total	4145	56	240	1705	14	12
(Complete.)						

HURSTVILLE.
(Number on roll, 17,697.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Audley	18	1	1	3	—	—
Bangor	21	—	—	21	—	—
Carlton	1152	18	55	310	1	1
Como	32	—	3	24	—	—
Cronulla	355	7	15	96	3	—
Heathcote	32	—	2	9	—	—
Hurstville	2139	34	91	495	—	5
Kogarah	1121	10	41	345	3	1
Lilly Pilly	20	—	3	4	—	—
Miranda	322	7	7	54	—	—
Mortdale	498	14	23	162	—	3
Oatley	233	13	6	42	—	—
Peakhurst	60	—	2	19	—	—
Sans Souci	542	10	14	231	1	4
Sutherland	28	74	15	157	—	1
Sylvania	58	2	3	14	—	—
Waterfall	33	—	2	21	—	2
Total	6541	194	258	1813	8	16
(Dumbleton votes to come.)						

MARRICKVILLE.
(Number on roll, 12,408.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Marrickville	1134	20	61	483	7	4
Newtown	610	19	28	424	2	3
Tempe	306	9	28	249	—	2
Tempe Park	580	14	32	229	2	1
The Warren	419	5	10	81	1	—
Victoria-road	535	4	54	310	—	3
Total	3540	62	236	1851	12	13

MIDDLE HARBOUR.
(Number on roll, 15,998.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Balgowlah	334	1	13	49	1	3
Bayview	47	—	5	12	—	—
Freshwater	233	—	9	59	—	—
Greendale	261	4	11	71	—	—
Manly	3250	49	168	844	3	4
Mona Vale	91	2	2	21	—	—
Mosman	666	3	9	104	—	1
Mosman East	1448	17	51	191	—	1
Narrabeen	162	3	9	48	1	1
Quarantine	7	—	1	7	—	—
Newport	66	—	3	17	—	—
Total	6358	80	281	1401	6	9

MOSMAN.
(Number on roll, 14,869.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Cremorne	852	3	21	105	—	2
Mosman	2156	21	69	382	1	3
Mosman Bay	1159	22	21	140	—	4
Mosman West	1130	8	42	270	1	3
Neutral Bay	1381	24	42	303	1	1
Total	6670	78	205	1106	3	10

NEWTOWN.
(Number on roll, 11,025.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Erskineville	672	12	53	694	2	—
Newtown	843	9	62	674	2	6
Newtown East	522	10	36	470	4	4
Wilson-street	708	7	30	451	2	1
Total	2745	38	182	2289	10	11

PADDINGTON.
(Number on roll, 11,885.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Barcom	583	6	47	529	6	3
Glenmore-road	928	16	70	596	2	3
Oxford-street	1282	20	132	992	9	5
Total	2793	42	249	2117	18	11

PARRAMATTA.
(Number on roll, 13,600.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Baulkham Hills	194	—	10	47	1	—
Carlingford	230	4	8	26	—	—
Castle Hill	214	1	6	32	—	—
Dundas	84	—	3	14	—	—
Dural	67	—	1	7	—	—
Eastwood	240	7	9	39	1	—
Ermington	111	—	4	18	2	—
Glenhaven	24	—	—	7	—	—
Harris Park	901	10	46	366	3	7
Kellyville	69	1	2	27	—	—
Kenthurst	66	—	1	14	—	—
Parramatta	1632	11	83	523	4	4
Parramatta N.	926	7	51	539	5	1
Pennant Hills	84	1	6	13	—	—
Rouse Hill	43	—	2	6	—	—
Rydalmere	165	2	4	54	—	1
Toongabbie	63	—	5	16	—	—
Wentworthville	177	1	10	34	—	—
Total	5290	45	251	1972	15	14

PETERSHAM.
(Number on roll, 11,685.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Lewisham	2024	31	83	641	1	9
Petersham	2676	29	76	631	3	3
Total	4700	60	159	1272	4	12

PHILLIP.
(Number on roll, 9788.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Phillip	1345	36	262	2562	17	12

RANDWICK.
(Number on roll, 13,846.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Coogee	999	13	59	379	3	4
Kensington	1015	13	63	477	3	2
Little Bay	155	2	7	46	—	—
Little Coogee	648	14	35	158	—	—
Long Bay	127	2	14	99	—	—
Randwick	1742	14	107	796	2	—
Randwick North	419	15	42	222	—	—
Randwick South	441	10	31	316	1	3
Total	5746	84	358	2403	9	9

REDFERN.
(Number on roll, 11,695.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Redfern	2250	65	301	2772	15	7
(Complete.)						

ROZELLE.
(Number on roll, 11,170.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
East Rozelle	434	5	44	395	—	3
Lilyfield	780	15	39	297	1	1
Rozelle	1467	25	103	1034	6	7
West Rozelle	412	9	63	627	4	1
Total	3093	54	249	2363	13	12
(Complete.)						

RYDE.
(Number on roll, 16,838.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Arcadia	79	—	1	6	—	—
Beecroft	521	9	9	36	—	—
Berowra	48	4	1	15	—	—
Eastwood	424	1	10	62	—	—
Epping	794	4	19	62	1	—
Gelston	75	3	5	12	—	—
Gladesville	849	13	41	300	1	1
Glenorie	58	2	3	5	—	—
Hawkesbury	72	2	1	29	1	1
Hornsby	1094	10	36	208	1	1
Marsfield	158	1	5	31	2	1
Middle Dural	43	—	—	1	—	—
Mount Colah	27	2	2	4	—	—
North Ryde	161	1	3	21	—	—
Pymble	389	2	11	98	1	—
Ryde	856	12	40	229	2	—
South Hornsby	107	—	5	15	1	—
Thornleigh	388	2	9	83	2	—
Turramurra	494	8	14	81	2	1
Waitara	223	1	12	116	2	—
Wahroonga	688	4	19	31	—	—
West Ryde	273	4	9	88	4	2
Milson Island	2	—	—	—	—	—
Total	7954	84	209	1513	21	9

ST. GEORGE.
(Number on roll, 14,899.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Arncliffe	756	5	33	223	—	3
Banksia	461	11	15	175	—	1
Bexley	1248	12	55	260	2	2
Brighton Le Sands	294	3	28	103	—	—
Kogarah	1659	10	39	346	—	1
Rockdale	1534	23	67	472	3	—
Wollongong-road	973	10	39	218	—	3
Total	6375	73	276	1797	5	10

ST. LEONARDS.
(Number on roll, 11,921.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Blue's Point	505	10	50	234	3	4
Milson's Point	1427	15	96	664	2	5
Mount-street	1570	21	103	666	5	6
Neutral Bay	261	2	10	65	—	1
Total	3763	48	259	1629	10	16

SURRY HILLS.
(Number on roll, 11,467.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Surry Hills	1835	32	215	2359	11	16

WAVERLEY.
(Number on roll, 13,028.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Bondi-road	905	22	34	253	1	1
Bronte	184	3	7	56	1	—
Ebley-street	1118	19	91	561	2	1
Kensington	261	7	18	101	—	—
Mill Hill	783	11	53	343	2	3
Military Camp	3	—	—	7	—	—
Centennial Park	252	4	9	65	—	—
Total	3355	66	212	1386	6	5

WILLOUGHBY.
(Number on roll, 13,561.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Blue's Point	230	3	23	150	—	—
Crow's Nest	1735	26	81	471	3	4
Greenwich	551	9	25	82	1	1
Lane Cove-road	2177	21	69	173	2	1
Miller-street	1354	13	70	421	3	4
Naremburn	874	7	25	216	1	3
Total	6341	65	279	1508	10	13

WOOLLAHRA.
(Number on roll, 11,277.)

	6	7	8	9	10	11
Darling Point	992	8	40	228	—	1
Double Bay	296	6	23	163	—	—
Ocean-street	394	6	25	194	1	1
Paddington	947	6	78	766	1	5
Queen-street	960	7	73	513	2	2
Total	3590	33	239	1873	4	8

THE COUNTRY.

ALBURY.
(Number on roll, 11,161.)

Six o'clock	2031
Seven	56
Eight	152
Nine	2063
Ten	27
Eleven	60

ASHBURNHAM.
(Number on roll, 9892.)

Six o'clock	2276
Seven	26
Eight	104
Nine	1276
Ten	2
Eleven	26

ALLOWRIE.
(Number on roll, 11,009.)

Six o'clock	2946
Seven	90
Eight	231
Nine	1774
Ten	17
Eleven	27

ARMIDALE.
(Number on roll, 9665.)

Six o'clock	2920
Seven	47
Eight	159
Nine	1517
Ten	8
Eleven	41

BATHURST.
(Number on roll, 9822.)

Six o'clock	2874
Seven	21
Eight	172
Nine	1580
Ten	18
Eleven	25

BINGARA.
(Number on roll, 9171.)

Six o'clock	1899
Seven	28
Eight	111
Nine	877
Ten	15
Eleven	73

BURRANGONG.
(Number on roll, 11,067.)

Six o'clock	3272
Seven	42
Eight	137
Nine	2649
Ten	19
Eleven	45

BYRON.
(Number on roll, 11,399.)

Six o'clock	3182
Seven	60
Eight	252
Nine	1700
Ten	22
Eleven	73

BEGA.
(Number on roll, 9695.)

Six o'clock	2021
Seven	49
Eight	178
Nine	1819
Ten	34
Eleven	62

CAMDEN.
(Number on roll, 12,855.)

Six o'clock	4533
Seven	86
Eight	272
Nine	1667
Ten	10
Eleven	13

CASTLEREAGH.
(Number on roll, 10,022.)

Six o'clock	2123
Seven	42
Eight	139
Nine	1458
Ten	29
Eleven	57

CESSNOCK.
(Number on roll, 10,027.)

Six o'clock	3778
Seven	54
Eight	334
Nine	2532
Ten	19
Eleven	30

CLARENCE.
(Number on roll, 9957.)

Six o'clock	1887
Seven	35
Eight	150
Nine	1109
Ten	14
Eleven	35

COBAR.
(Number on roll, 8112.)

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

STOCKS AND SHARES.

Business was very quiet on all sides at the Stock Exchange on Saturday, and very few transactions were recorded. The following are the sales:—

Morning:—B.H. Proprietary Debentures, £101/10/; Australian Mutual Fire, 40/; Tooth and Co., ord., 26/; Australian Bank of Commerce, shares, 12/1½.

FINANCIAL.

STANDARD WAYGOOD.

The report of the Standard Waygood Company for the year ended March 31, after writing off £9286 for bad and doubtful debts and depreciation of securities, shows a loss of £1195. With £17,802 brought forward there was an available balance of £16,638. An interim dividend of 1/ per share on the fully paid up shares and 6d per share on contributing shares absorbed £7819, and the directors recommend a final dividend of like amount, making 10 per cent. for the year, leaving £1000 to be carried forward as provision for income taxes. The report states that a plant designed and used for the manufacture of electric searchlight carbons has been of service in developing an industry new to Australia, and useful to the defence forces. The cost and the loss on the manufacture of carbons has been entirely written off. Work in progress brought forward from the previous year was expected to show good profits, but increased cost of labour and material swallowed up these margins, and left losses. Since the close of the year a call has been made, and the contributing shares are now fully paid. It is stated that orders are extremely scarce, and no interim dividend will be paid. The following comparison may be made.

	Year ended March 31,			
	1913.	1914.	1915.	1916.
	£	£	£	£
Net profits	21,372	26,730	23,214	*1,185
Dividends	10 p.c.	10 p.c.	10 p.c.	10 p.c.
Bonus	5 p.c.	2½ p.c.	2½ p.c.	
Carried forward	7,967	14,196	17,902	1,000
Capital	117,500	156,370	156,370	156,370
Reserves	16,721	14,483	11,053	15,761
Property, etc.	83,141	147,028	148,293	153,300
Sundry debtors	40,099	39,340	48,612	46,299
Investments, etc.	31,540	30,052	37,400	27,105

*The reserve fund now stands at £20,000.

CANCELLATION OF CONTRACT.

ADVANCE IN FREIGHT.

It has been held that freight may rise high as to be a just and legal cause for cancellation of a contract. A Spanish syndicate, the Compania Minera de Sierra Bella, contracted towards the end of 1914 to sell 50,000 tons of iron ore to Bolckow Vaughan and Co., Ltd., to be delivered during 1915 at Middlesbrough, at 12s 6d a ton. When 20,000 tons had been delivered the Spanish company refused to make further deliveries till after the war. The contract to carry the ore contained an exception of restraint of prince. Freights rose sharply after the contract had been made, the German Government gave notice of its intention to submarine British merchantmen, and intimated that neutrals would probably suffer. The Court declared war was used as a reason for claiming relief. Mr. Justice Bailhache, in giving judgment, said that the question to be first decided was whether a rise in freights due to a suspected cause in this case, war, can ever excuse the prevention of fulfilment of a contract to deliver overseas goods. I am of opinion that there may be such a rise in freights, due to war, as may entitle a seller who has to pay freight, to say that he was thereby prevented by war from making delivery. I can see no objection to this doctrine of commercial prevention that it presses equally on the buyer who is injured to precisely the extent to which the seller is relieved. To this I would say that where the contract provides for exemption in the case of war preventing deliveries, the parties clearly contemplate the possibility of prevention and the seller's contract is not that he will deliver in all events. The other observation is that no seller can claim exemption if he has failed to protect himself by the requisite covering contract in a case where it is usual and prudent so to do. A seller cannot choose to take the risks of the market and then, when the market has gone against him, claim protection. In such a case he is prevented not by war but by his own imprudence." In this case, Mr. Justice Bailhache held that as the agents of the sellers were the contractors for the carriage and were also steamship owners, it could not be said that they were prevented by the rise in freights from carrying the iron ore. Judgment was, therefore, given for the plaintiffs.

WOOL POSITION IN ENGLAND.

Our cables on Saturday informed us that the Imperial Government had placed an embargo for the time being on all sales of English grown wools with a view of controlling distribution and prices. Although no previous notice was given of this step on the part of the Government, it was known that the position of supplies was causing anxiety, and as the Government early in April took steps by informing the hosiery mills at Leicester that they were not to buy yarns at more than a certain price, the step now taken with regard to wool is but a necessary following of the former one. The manufacturers thought that Government control had started at the wrong end, especially as it informed the hosiery makers that if they found it impossible to buy yarns at the stipulated prices they were to communicate with the Government, but now the hand of the regulation of prices will touch all home handlers of wool, from the grower onwards. A writer in London for an Australian trade paper said early in April:—"Last week it transpired that 90 per cent. of the output of those mills making blankets and shirtings have been commandeered by the British Government, only 10 per cent. being allowed for civilian purposes. It has now come to that in regard to commandeering the product of looms for one's war fabrics, and the needs of the armies of Europe are greater than ever." He also said:—"There seems to be quite a unanimous opinion prevailing in London important circles that there is going to be no surplus stocks of wool after June, and therefore this is raising hopes again of prices reverting to the high level of last January. So far that period is high-water mark, and it will be short supplies and low stocks which will drive values up to that pinnacle again."

STATE INCOME TAX METHODS.

Another "Public Accountant" writes:—

Sir,—Through the medium of your columns, "Public Accountant" has drawn attention to the grievance against the unjust methods of the State Income Tax Department. Your readers will fully endorse his remarks as to the "many absurd disallowances of deductible expenses," whilst the department, in its grim humour, has apparently been mazed without any reason whatever.

There is nothing like giving one typical example of these absurdities.

A client's return was prepared in my office, the figures being obtained from the properly balanced books of a trading concern. Freight and cartage, amounting to many hundreds of pounds sterling, was shown in its proper place as a deduction, viz., under Item No. 11. Mr. Assessor strikes it off, and requires my client to explain clearly "why the department, in its grim humour, has apparently been mazed without any reason whatever.

"Item 11 (trading, etc., purchases)." I point out that Item 11 has printed against it in bold type, "Freight and cartage, not already claimed in amount included in purchases," my client also signing a sworn declaration to this effect.

I then pointed out that "freight and cartage" by no imagination can be called "purchases," and that, in the name of reason, is Item No. 11 specially provided for this deduction if it be allowed at all, however, a letter of protest, accompanied by certified copy of trading and profit and loss account, would not move the Commissioners to grant an amended assessment. The hardships of a heavy income tax falling due on the same week as the Federal State tax is further increased for my unfortunate client by this outrageous exchange of nearly £40. Meantime, the Commissioners would apply the illegitimate use of his well-earned money—for many months, perhaps—for their benefit.

I claim, Sir, that the public should be protected against these whimsical and frolic "assumptions" of the State Income Tax authorities. We are surely entitled to the courtesy of an intelligent inquiry as to our unsworn written declarations are lightly set aside.

NATIONAL ECONOMY.

Mr. B. Latham, A.I.A., president of the Australasian Society of New South Wales, read a paper at the inaugural meeting of the 1916 session on "National Economy." Mr. Latham recalled Lord Kitchener's remarks that "if we admit that those left behind are only going to work as hard as before, and that civilians are going to consume as much food, and have as much clothing and luxuries as before the war, then our problem will be insolvable;" and pointed out that our neglect up till now to economise was one of the reasons for the great cost of the war to us in men and money; that our resources are unquestionably far greater than those of Germany, but that until we organise and eliminate waste we will not get our full advantage. Our aim during the past 22 months has been to conduct our business practically on pre-war lines. We must stop this sort of thing and devote all our energies to adapting our business to meet the altered circumstances and produce a maximum of commodities useful for war purposes as quickly as possible. He gave two instances where we can effect greater saving, viz., in clothing (men's clothing in particular) and in paper. At the present time we have scores of different patterns and colours which are entirely unnecessary of both these articles; and if we were to have a certain degree of uniformity much machinery would be released for other purposes and many salesmen and saleswomen could be spared to do the more necessary work of providing for our men in the field. Professor Moors, who opened the discussion, emphasised the need for individual as well as Governmental economy, and urged that it was the duty of societies, such as the Actuarial Society, to give the Government a lead in bringing the people to realise the significance of Lord Kitchener's words.

Other speakers followed in similar strain, one pointing out that the British Government had gone as far as ceasing to spend money on gardens and parks. The need for the immediate introduction in Australia of a "Daylight Saving Bill" was also mentioned.

LESSENING LITIGATION.

Commercial litigation in this State is not nearly so frequent as it was 20 years ago. Commercial men either go to friendly arbitration or they suffer what they believe to be an injustice, rather than throw good money after bad in law. The litigation which still takes place could be further reduced, and in this connection the plan of the New York State Chamber of Commerce and the State Bar Association, is of interest. These committees have made a list of the major subjects of litigation in the order of their volume, as determined by an investigation of all reported cases in the courts of New York State. They have also prepared an analysis of each of those subjects indicating the most usual causes within each category. Letters calling attention to the most fruitful sources of litigation, and asking for suggestions likely to be of aid in enabling the committees to prepare the desired rules, have been sent to the members of the two organisations. If desired, special analyses of the respective subjects will be sent to those receiving the letters, who are requested to furnish the committee with concise statements of any particular points they may deem important to be incorporated in the proposed rules for the prevention of unnecessary litigation at the source. As an indication of what is possible of accomplishment through the adoption of some such plan as that the committees have in hand, it is declared that 82 per cent. of the litigation relating to wills, the subject ranking first in volume, is of a preventable nature. Inasmuch as in any event many causes of dispute will arise, the committees will consider arbitration and conciliation as a means of preventing needless resort to the courts. Inasmuch as the Chamber of Commerce, the Bar Association has directed its committee to report at the next annual meeting of the association a plan for arbitration within the profession which it shall deem practicable for lawyers to recommend to their clients.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

During May 48,575 ounces of fine gold of the value of £185,095 was received at the Sydney Mint, the total for five months being 185,577 ounces, of the value of £788,283.

Gold coin issued was of the value of £290,000 in May, making a total of £678,000 for five months. Bullion issued was £9765 for the month, and £28,830 for the five months.

Australian silver coin issued was of the value of £15,000, and bronze coin £300, for the month.

Worn silver withdrawn from circulation amounted to £374.

Our Newcastle correspondent telegraphs that the exports of coal for the week amounted to 85,627 tons, of which 76,957 tons went to Commonwealth and New Zealand ports, and 9670 tons to oversea countries. This quantity is 33,975 tons larger than last week's exports.

TARIFF RECOMMENDATIONS

BRASSWORK.

INDUSTRY WORTH PRESERVING.

Under the present tariff the import duties on brasswork, bronzework, and gunmetal work for general engineering and plumbing and other trades are 30 per cent. general and 25 per cent. preferential. The Interstate Commission received applications for increased protection from four sources, one applicant asking 60 per cent., with no imperial preference, and all the other applicants asking for substantial increases. One witness gave expression to the view that to hold the market there must be a duty that gives absolute control; "a duty that just balances is useless," I should," he continued, "define such a duty as one that would cover a fair profit to the first intermediary over and above a fair selling price rate by the manufacturer; that is, the landed cost of imported goods should be the price that, say, the merchant could sell local goods for, after paying a fair price to the local maker, and getting a profit commensurate with the risk he runs in the business."

The Commission says it found some trouble in ascertaining the precise difficulties of local manufacturers. The discrepancy between the cost of the locally-manufactured and the imported article in certain cases was so great that the difference in labour costs failed to explain the difficulty. "The metal is not a material factor, since its price is determined by the world's market, and we should be under no disadvantage in that respect. An effort was made to ascertain whether the failure was due to the want of modern machinery, and of the most efficient methods of manufacture." But after discussing the evidence, it says in its report that both in the United States of America and Great Britain certain descriptions of taps are turned out on a large scale at piecework rates, which must undoubtedly reduce labour cost as compared with our methods of manufacture at daywork rates on a small scale. Our inability to compete is also due to the want of the efficient appliances which are in use elsewhere. But the Commission uses this pregnant paragraph—"It is stated by the applicants that even if the increased duty be imposed, it is probable that numerous small articles of the class described cannot be made here. With keener enterprise and the introduction of up-to-date machinery, the larger proportion of all kinds of brasswork should be made here; but it is questionable whether any increase in duty, short of prohibition, would prove of advantage to the smaller manufacturer. Success will only follow when capital is invested in suitable plant, and when there is the prospect of a considerable output."

The recommendation made is that "for the purpose of widening the output of the industry under consideration, the rates of duty in the 1908-11 tariff, item 172, 'Brasswork, bronzework, and gunmetal work for general engineering and plumbing, and other trades' be increased to 45 per cent. general and 37½ per cent. preferential."

Application was also made for exemption from duty of brasswork in lengths, not polished or manufactured but having shapes other than plain angles, tees, and bars. This was on behalf of a German manufacturer, but the Commission says no local manufacturer using these articles has applied for an alteration of duty, and no sufficient reasons have been advanced which in the opinion of the Commission would justify a reduction of the 1908-11 tariff rates.

LONDON FINANCIAL CABLES.

CONSOLS AND LOANS.

LONDON, June 9.

Consols 54 per cent. for delivery are at 60¼ (£1 higher than on the previous day).

War loans, 3½ per cent., stand at 89¾ (£1/3/ up from the previous day); and 4½ per cent. at 96⅝ (2/6 up from the previous day).

COMMERCIAL.

SUBSTITUTE FOR JUTE.

Experiments are being tried in America with a fibre plant known as Malva blanca for sugar bags. A machine adapted to the peculiarities of this plant has been perfected; and it is claimed that by its means there is opened to the whole world a fibre every bit as good as jute, and at a more favourable price. The plant thus utilised is growing wild all over Cuba. Its botanical name is Urena labata. The claim is that sacks weighing 2½lb can be placed on the market at 7 to 10 cents each.

LONDON "ETAL QUOTATIONS.

The Australian Metal Exchange reports that the London metal (middle) quotations for June 9 were as follow:—

Copper.—Standard, spot, £122/15/ (unchanged); three months, £119/15/ (unchanged); electrolytic, £142 (unchanged) per ton.

Lead.—Soft, foreign, spot, £21/15/ (12/6 down); forward, £21/5/ (17/6 down) per ton.

Spelter.—Spot, £71 (£2 down); forward, £61 (£2 down) per ton.

Tin.—Standard, spot, £187/17/6 (5/ up); three months, £187/17/6 (unchanged) per ton.

Silver.—Standard, spot, /30, a fall of 1d per ounce.

The amount of wool manifested to arrive at Darling Harbour and sub-stations on Saturday was 233 bales.

BREADSTUFFS.

THE WHEAT POSITION.

In discussing the position of the world's wheat crop, "Broomhall" says that it remains to be seen whether the influence of the big supplies or the fears of a smaller world's crop will be the stronger. It is a point to be considered that, of the big surplus remaining over from the last harvest, a big proportion is in warehouse, and this applies more particularly to the North American quota. This warehoused wheat is continually piling up expense, so that holders have a constant inducement to sell; it would be different if it were held on the farms, where the loss of interest is not apparent, although it may be quite as real, and there has never been a season before where the markets in Argentina and Australia were subject to similar influences to such an extent as in the current season. To meet the big supplies which are expected to continue, in spite of the freight difficulties, there is a large all-round Continental demand. There are well-posted people who believe that the Continent will take nearly all the Argentine and Australian "orders," cargoes, and, although "Broomhall" does not fully share this view, yet they do know that so far it has taken a very large proportion of the cargoes recently shipped, and it may be that this is the Allies' policy, namely, to take these cargoes to satisfy the Continental demand, leaving the bulk of the Canadian supplies available for our own requirements.

At Darling Harbour on Saturday 2038 tons of wheat and 248 tons of flour were manifested to arrive.

LONDON MARKET CABLES.

APPLES AND PEARS.

LONDON, June 9.

Apples are selling well at about 6d a case easier. The pears by the Moultan were mostly wet. Some Tasmanian pears, in half-cases, sold at 12/6 to 20/ for Winter Nellis, and 8/ to 9/6 for Glout Morceau.

MISCELLANEOUS PRODUCE.

June 10.

August shipment of native first marks of r w jute is offered at £23 a ton.

Hemp is dull; good to fair, August-October shipment is quoted at £48/10/.

American middling cotton, June-July shipment is bringing 8.95d (.84d higher on the week).

Rubber is quoted thus:—Fine hard Para, 2/8½ per lb (unchanged on the week); plantation first latex crepe, 2/6d (½d lower); smoked sheet, 2/5½ (½d lower).

May-June shipments of copra, South Sea bagged, are bringing £31/10/ a ton nominal (£1/15/ lower on the week).

Linseed oil, spot pipes, is worth £34/10/ a ton, equal to 2/9.5d a gallon (a rise of 2/0 a ton, and of .48d a gallon).

FROZEN MEAT.

Frozen meat is in small supply. Australian mutton is bringing 8¾d, and South American lamb 12½d. Other sorts are unchanged.

RABBITS.

The market for rabbits is firm, and prices are unchanged.

WHEAT.

The wheat market is steadier.

Chi ago futures are quoted thus:—July, 107¾ cents; September, 109¾ cents a bushel.

Later.

The wheat market is quiet, and prices are unchanged.

WHEAT AFLOAT.

Grain shipments afloat on May 26, a week previous, and at the corresponding date a year ago, were:—

	June 9, 1916.	June 2, 1916.	June 11, 1915.
	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.
United Kingdom	3,325,000	3,350,000	2,975,000
The Continent	4,420,000	4,570,000	3,100,000
	7,745,000	7,920,000	6,075,000

SHIPMENTS FOR EUROPE.

Total shipments for Europe last week were 1,565,000 quarters, compared with 1,485,000 quarters in the previous week, and 1,115,000 quarters in the corresponding week of last year. Shipments included:—Atlantic Coast, 829,000 quarters, (553,000 quarters last year); Pacific Coast (mill); India, 50,000 (237,000); Argentine, 188,000 quarters (184,000); Australasia, 105,000 (nil).

AMERICAN WHEAT CROP ESTIMATE.

The Washington Bureau estimates the winter wheat crop at 468,000,000 bushels, and the spring crop at 246,000,000 bushels.

PRODUCE.

ADVANCE IN COASTAL FREIGHTS.

The secretary of the New South Wales Coastal Steamship Owners' Association writes:—

Sir,—In the "Produce" column of your issue of the 7th instant appears an article, under the heading "Advance in Coastal Freights," with reference to a circular said to have been issued by one of the steamship companies trading to the North Coast. As the name of the company from which this circular emanated has not been published, I have to advise that none of the members of the New South Wales Coastal Steamship Owners' Association, which comprises all the larger companies trading to the North Coast, are in any way responsible for, or concerned with, the published circular.

RAILWAY MARKET.

With the usual small Saturday yarding, and small attendance of buyers, sales were slow, and values were slightly easier. Lucerne oats were inclined to drag, while good chaff sold readily. No potato sales eventuated, owing to the absence of buyers.

The yardings in position for sale totalled 61 trucks, comprising 53 of forage, 2 of grain, and 6 of vegetables. Produce outstanding was manifested at 134 of hay, straw, and chaff, 1 of grain, and 9 of vegetables.

The following sales were concluded:—

Wheat Chaff.—Murphy, Orange (6300), 5/; Harrison, Wanegong (2168), 4/1; ex Walla Walla (54), 4/3; Bullock, Blayney (3084), 4/3; Fisher, Canowindra (3060), 3/11; Murray, Canowindra (4255), 4/; ditto (3475), 4/ per ton.

Oaten Chaff.—Murphy, Orange (13187), 4/; ditto (17358), 4/; Lyons, Lyndhurst (3649), 4/3; ex Canowindra (13570), 3/10; ditto (7345), 3/7; Pearse, Yerong Creek (12852), 3/10 per cwt.

Lucerne Chaff.—Barr, Koolingal (12937), 6/7 per cwt.

Lucerne Hay.—Pepper, Tocumwal (17339), 5/6 per cwt.

VEGETABLE MARKET.

A usual Saturday supply of vegetables was floored at the City Vegetable Markets. Bunch vegetables were unchanged, and did steady business, but trade in greens was otherwise a trifle slow, there being plentiful supplies in all save beans and peas.

Quotations for vegetables in season were:—Cabbages, local, 6d to 3/6; cauliflowers, small, from 3d, good 2/6 to 4/; carrots, 1/3 to 1/6; celery, 2/6 to 3/; beets, 2/ to 2/6; leeks, 1/ to 2/; mint, 1/ to 1/6; parsley, 2/3 to 3/; parsnips, 1/6 to 2/; radishes, /6 to 1/; rhubarb, 2/6 to 3/; spinach, /6 to 1/ per dozen bunches.

Potatoes.—Local, prime 6/6 to 10/, small 2/ to 4/ per dozen; 1/ to 1/4 per lb, 3 to 3½ per cwt. Onions, new crop, local 3/ to 4/; Tasmanian 3/ per cwt. Swede turnips, local 3/ to 4/; Tasmanian 2/ per cwt.

PRODUCE INWARDS.

LAUNCESTON, Saturday.

The steamer Tarlund left Devonport for Sydney last night with 7138 bags potatoes, 2493 bags oats, 490 bags chaff, 350 bags wheat, 507 bales straw, 48 cases pears, and 75 cases apples.

The Konoya leeds or Burnie to-day.

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

FURNITURE AND MERCHANDISE.

W. A. LITTLE.—At 466 Bourke-street, Surry Hills, at 11, Furniture, etc.

E. H. HILTON.—At 4 Alberta-street, city, at 11, Furniture, etc.

H. Y. NORTON.—At Thomond, Howard-street, Randwick, at 11, Furniture, etc.

J. P. LISTER.—At 392 Pitt-street, at 11, Clothing, etc.; at 2, Sowdries; at 3, Jewellery, etc.

M. GOULSTON and CO.—At 4 Australia-street, Newtown, at 10.30, Haberdashery, Shop Fittings, etc.

A. G. JENKINS.—At Burton-street, Darlinghurst, at 10, Furniture, etc.; at the Rooms, at 11, Clothing, etc.; at 12, Jewellery, Clothing, etc.

H. LEVY.—At 135 Regent-street, city, at 2, Furniture, Clothing, etc.

WOOL SALES.

At the Sydney Wool Exchange, at 3, Wool.

FARM AND DAIRY PRODUCE.

DENT and PERRY.—At Redfern Station, at 9.15 day, Straw, Chaff, Potatoes, etc.

HORSES, VEHICLES, AND HARNESS.

W. INGLIS and SON.—At their Bazaar, Camperdown, at 10.30, 11.30, and 12, Horses, Vehicles, Harness.

H. CHISHOLM and CO.—At Randwick Stables, at 2, Racehorses.

MISCELLANEOUS.

DENT and PERRY.—At Newtown Station, at 7, Wood, etc.; at Darling Harbour, at 8, Wood, etc.

NEW ZEALAND CASUALTIES.

WELLINGTON (N.Z.), Sunday.

The following is the latest New Zealand casualty list:—

KILLED IN ACTION.

Capt. Herbert Christophers, Rifleman John Sullivan.

DIED OF WOUNDS.

Major Lionel Stansell, Pte. Middleton, Beckett, Herbert, Burke, Sergt. Hugh Gilchrist.

WOUNDED.

Captain Ernest Harding, Lieut. Thomas White, Q.M.S. Claude Aitken, Cpl. R. Chambers, Ptes. Adrian, Riggs, Calet, Wood, John Connelly, John Stokes, Robert Bridson, Joseph Bristol, James Daly, Francis Nesdale, William Richards, Richard Russell, Bertram Tiernan, Edward Allcock, Robert Lepper, Ernest Sandham, William Drysdale, Watson, Turner, Thomas Sowerby, Vincent Parrington, Sydney Lewis, Robert M'Gregor, John M'Kay, John Sneeston, William Webber.

MINING.

RESTRICTED DEALINGS.

RISE IN BLACK RANGE WESTS.

Unusually quiet conditions ruled at the Sydney Stock Exchange on Saturday, and business was almost as restricted as on the previous Saturday.

Business was confined to Barriers and Westonias. Quotations were generally steady, and in no section was there any decided move in either direction, save in gold, where Black Range Wests displayed increased activity. This was due to two telegrams. Both messages were from the manager of the mine and the first, dated June 8, states: "Bottom levels, south drive off crosscut, were driven a further 10ft, making 150ft. The lode is 3ft 6in wide, and the estimated value is 7 dwts per ton, and more is promising." The second telegram, dated 5.5 p.m. on June 9, reads: "Bottom level, south drift, is firing this morning. The width of lode is 3ft 6in, showing visible gold, excessively fine. Estimated value is 22 dwts. per ton of 2240lb. It is the most promising development since I arrived."

The result was that quotations advanced for both buyers and sellers, and several sales were recorded, the first being at the weak rate of 8d, but transactions rapidly succeeded each other until the closing price was 1/3.

Business was also done in Edna Consols, dateds at Friday's values, while Edna Centrals attracted one sale at the rate of 45/6, a recovery of 1½d.

In Barriers, business was confined to Souths and Norths. The South was a sale of contributing shares at a firm figure, while the Norths also changed hands at a satisfactory price.

THE SHARE MARKET.

Sydney Stock Exchange.—Saturday's closing quotations were:—

	Buyers. £ s d	Sellers. £ s d
COPPER.		
Cobar Gladstone	— ..	0 2 6
Corella Copper	— ..	0 11 6
Rampden-Cloncurry, paid	1 10 0 ..	1 10 9
Mount Lyell	1 8 0 ..	1 8 6d
Mount Morgan	1 13 0 ..	1 14 0
TIN.		
Vegetable Creek	0 6 7 ..	0 8 9
Tin. Dredging and Sluicing.	2 1 6 ..	—
Austral Malay	1 17 0 ..	1 18 0
Bungong Ramunting	1 1 0 ..	1 1 6
Larut Tin	1 0 0 ..	1 0 0
Wakya Tin Cor	— ..	1 5 0
Rahaet Basin	1 2 6 ..	1 3 0
Ratrut Basin (new)	0 6 0 ..	—
Tin Bentong	1 10 6 ..	—
Tongkah Harbour Tin	1 12 0 ..	1 13 0
Trong	1 9 0 ..	1 10 0
SILVER.		
New South Wales, sts.		
British Broken Hill (old)	1 8 0 ..	1 4 0
Broken Hill Proprietary	1 5 0 ..	2 6 0
B.H. Junction, paid	0 5 9 ..	0 6 0
Ditto, contributing	0 5 8 ..	0 5 10
B.H. Junction North	0 2 0 ..	0 2 3
B.H. North	0 7 2 ..	0 7 5
B.H. South, cons.	7 4 0 ..	7 6 6
New Burraguang	— ..	0 4 3
Round Hill (Cns.)	0 11 8 ..	—
Victoria.		
Morning Star, cont.	0 6 4½ ..	0 7 0
Western Australia.		
Black Range, paid	0 1 8 ..	0 1 4
Edna May Consols, paid	0 7 11 ..	0 8 0
Ditto, con.	0 11 0 ..	0 11
Ditto, Deep	1 4 3 ..	1 5 0
Ditto, Golden Point, paid	0 4 10 ..	—
Great Boulder	0 13 8 ..	0 13 9

STOCK EXCHANGE SALES.

Stocks not on the official list are marked with the letter U. The following sales were recorded:—

GOLD.

Black Range West, /9, /10, 1/, 1/1, 1/3, 1/3.
Edna Consolidated, paid, 8/.
Edna Central (U.), 45/6.

SILVER.

B.H. South, cons., £7/6/.
North B.H., 47/.

LONDON SHARE MARKET.

LONDON, June 10.

On the Stock Exchange to-day, British Broken Hill shares were quoted, b 24/3, a 25/3; Broken Hill North, b 47/6, a 48/6; Broken Hill South, b 161/3, a 163 9d; Hampden, b 44/6, a 45/6; Mount Lyell, b 29/6, a 30/9; Great Boulder, b 13/9, a 14/3; Ivanhoe, b 42/6, a 45/.

MELBOURNE, Saturday.

To-day's sales were:—

Silver.—Amalgamated Zinc, 29/14, 29/; Hercules, 15/10; North Broken Hills, 27/.

Tin.—Mount Cuthbert, 14/, 13/10; Mount Lyell Blocks, 4/2, 4/.

Tin.—Ronpibon, 5/, 5/3.

Gold.—Edna May Central, 7/2, 7/1; Central, 45/; 46; Deeps, 24/6, 25/; Vilkarn Consols (paid), 1/5; Cathcart Central, 13/8; Cohen's Long Tunnel, 4/9; New Langi Logan, 5/3, 6/2.

MINING DIVIDENDS.

Dividends have been declared payable on the days mentioned hereunder. Creditors when the transfer books close, p, when the dividends are payable.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

Bodangora, C, June 14, P, June 17	4
B.H. South, P, June 23	6
Zinc Corporation, P, July (pref.)	2
B.H. North, P, June 23	2
VICTORIA.	
Alex North, C, June 21, P, June 28	0
Cathcart Central, P, June 13	1
Duke and Main Leads, P, June 20	0
WESTERN AUSTRALIA.	
Great Boulder, P, June 20	0
Sons of Gwalia, P, June 30	0
Edna May, P, June 16	3
Kalgurli Gold, P, July 4	2
QUEENSLAND.	
St. Monga, P, June 30	0
Mount Morgan, P, June 30	1
TASMANIA.	
Mount Bischoff, P, June 20	5
Mount Lyell, P, June 20	2
MISCELLANEOUS.	
Katoe Beebook, P, June 14	0
Trong Tin, C, June 15, P, June 23	1
Tronghah Compound, C, June 23, P, June 30	0

Mrs. E. M. Crouch, 51 Moncur-street, Woollahra, writes:—"I suffered from extreme nervousness, loss of appetite, and poorness of the blood. I tried Clements Tonic, and have derived great benefit. I recommend it to those similarly affected."—Advt.

Wolfe's Schnapps, the purest spirit distilled for human consumption ¢ Advt.

Tea Satisfactica.—Drink Lipton's Yellow Label, at 1/6 per lb. Better that other 2/ teas.—Advt.

ADMIRAL JELLICOE.

AUSTRALIANS' IMPERISHABLE FAME.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

The Minister for the Navy (Mr. Jensen) has received the following message through the Commonwealth representative in London, from Admiral Sir John Jellicoe, in reply to the congratulations of the Royal Australian Navy to the Grand Fleet on its recent brilliant achievement:—

"Please convey the sincere thanks of officers and men of the Grand Fleet for the message sent from our comrades in the Royal Australian Navy, which has been received with much satisfaction and gratitude. All ranks will ever remember the glorious deeds of the Australians on the Gallipoli Peninsula and the imperishable fame they won for themselves."

CASUALTIES.

BURNT IN EXPLOSION.

As the result of an explosion at Brodribb's furniture factory, in City-road, on Saturday, Archibald Brown, 24 years of age, a pianotuner, living in Angel-street, Newtown, sustained severe burns on the face and body. The Civil Ambulance conveyed him to the Royal Prince Alfred Hospital.

FOOTBALL ACCIDENT.

On Saturday afternoon William Boys, 17, of 77 Crown-street, St. Peters, sustained a fractured collarbone and a fractured nose whilst playing football in Undercliffe Reserve, Marrickville. The Newtown District Ambulance took him to the Royal Prince Alfred Hospital.

WOMAN POISONED.

Mrs. Florence A. Welsh, 34, of Lackey-street, St. Peters, was taken from her home by the Newtown District Ambulance on Saturday morning to the Royal Prince Alfred Hospital, suffering from poisoning.

WOMAN KILLED.

Mrs. Ada Saunders, who lived with her family at Allanthus College, Shirley, Edgecliff-road, was knocked down by a motor car in Pitt-street on Saturday morning. She was admitted to Sydney Hospital suffering with a fractured skull, and died the same afternoon.

COBAR STRIKE SETTLED.

COBAR, Sunday.

The industrial trouble caused by the strike of engine-drivers was settled on Saturday, when the offer of Mr. Hogan Taylor, resident manager of the Great Cobar mine, was accepted. All the mining companies in the district have agreed to a 1s a day increase, any arbitration award to be retrospective. The voting of the union was 67 votes to 7. Work in all the mines is to be resumed immediately.

INSPECTION OF FRENCH TROOPS.

French troops, Les Tirailleurs du Pacifique, now in Sydney, will be inspected by Brigadier-General Ramaciotti, V.D., the State Commandant, at 3.45 this afternoon, in the Domain.

DEATH AT A MEMORIAL SERVICE.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

During a memorial service for Lord Kitchener at Bendigo Baptist Church to-night, Mr. H. V. Roper, a well-known citizen, sang "Nearer, My God, to Thee," and almost immediately collapsed and died. His wife was in the congregation.

A MYSTERIOUS AFFAIR.

ADELAIDE, Sunday.

A resident of Whyte Yarcowie, 135 miles north of Adelaide, reported to the police that two dead bodies, that of a young man and woman, had been found in a creek on Mr. Wright's Lorraine Estate. Close by under the bank of the creek was a bottle containing strychnine. The spot is lonely, and well hidden in rough, hilly country and scrub. The bodies had apparently been dead for two or three months. The whole affair is shrouded in mystery.

DEATH OF Mr. J. S. HORSFALL.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

Mr. John Sutcliffe Horsfall, who died in Melbourne yesterday, was born in Yorkshire in 1837. His family for generations had been identified with the woollen trade as staplers and manufacturers. He was educated at Bradford. He came to Victoria in 1856 to Mr. Richard Goldsbrough. He began as a jackeroo, and rose until in 1865 he was admitted as a partner of the firm of Richard Goldsbrough and Co. In 1881 the business of Richard Goldsbrough was amalgamated with that of the Australian Agency and Backing Corporation, and became Goldsborough and Co., Ltd., Mr. Horsfall being one of the directors. Later on it was amalgamated with Mort's wool business in Sydney, and became Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., Ltd. He was a director till 1889, and then retired, but after the boom in the reconstruction period Mr. Horsfall rejoined the firm as adviser. His term was four years, and Mr. Shaughnessy was up he did not renew it. He owned Widgiewa station near Narrandera, which he sold a few years ago to F. S. Falkiner and Sons. He also owned Momalong, near Jerilderie, and he sold that also. He owned at his death Kerarbury station, near Hay. He had one son Richard, who survives him, and two daughters. Mr. Horsfall was a man of strong character. In the big shearers' strike he lost £50,000 through his determination to defy the strikers. Recently he presented Trinity College, Melbourne, with a chapel. Mr. Horsfall was married twice. His first wife was a daughter of Mr. R. Maiden, the well known wool broker of Sydney. She died two or three years ago, and Mr. Horsfall married again.

INTERSTATE EXCHANGES.

ADELAIDE, Saturday.

To-day's sales and quotations were:—

Various.—B.A. Oilwells, paid, b 1/6 (50); B.A. Oil, b 1/, a 1/4.

Copper: Hampden, b 20/9, a 20/9; Mount Lyell, b 27/9, a 28/6; Wallaroo, 63/, b 62/6.

Tin:

Silver: Broken Hill Proprietary, b 69/, a 69/6; B.H. Block 14, pref., b 8/, a 8/6; ditto, ord., b 5/1; British B.H., old, 28/, b 24/, a 24/3; British B.H., new, 23/ (60), 22/6 (100), b 22/, a 22/6; Barrier South, 7/, b 6/; B.H. Junction, paid, b 5/9, a 6/1; B.H. Junction, con., b 3/8½, a 3/11; B.H. Junction North, b 7/4, a 7/6; B.H. North, /, b 46/9, a 47/3; B.H. South, paid, b 6/, a 6/3; ditto, cons., 7/, b 7/14/, a 7/17/; ditto, cont, b 47/3/.

Gold: Lake View and Star, b 2/8, a 2/10; Associated Northern, a 4/6; Bullfinch Proprietary, b 3/5, a 3/7; Commercial, b 1/3, a 1/4; Great Boulder, b 13/6, a 13/9; Ivanhoe, a 41/; Mararoa, b 3, b 5/2, a 5/5; Payne's Find Development, paids, a 2/; Sons of Gwalia, b 15/; Edna May, b £8 12/, a £8 7s 6d; Paid Edna May Consolidated, paid b 7/9, a 8/3; cons., 5/9, 5/8, b 5/7, a 5/9; Edna May Centrals, 44/6, 45/, 45/9, b 45/6, a 46/; Edna May Battlers, paid, 9/6, b 9/3, a 9/7; cons., 7/1, b 6/11, a 7/3; Edna May Deeps, 24/7½, 24/9, b 24/9, a 25/3; Empress, b 2/6, a 2/11; Tarcoola Blocks, /3; Weston's Reward, paid, a 4/6; Weston's Reward, con., b 2/6, a 2/11½.

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A Week of Specials at Murdoch's

Starts To-day—for Six Days Only

When we say specials,—you can depend upon it we mean specials. Our offerings this week will be full of money-saving power—real economy snaps for men who are anxious to make the most of their cash.

If you are in real earnest about economy, here's your chance.

Note the splendid reductions, but, remember, they are for one week only.

Five-Guinea Suitings,

Tailored to Measure,

66/6

We have made a special local purchase of Five Guinea Suitings—English, Scotch, and Irish all-wool Tweeds, in Brown, Grey, Green, and Fancy Mixtures. For one week only we will tailor these at 66/6—the Suit to-measure. Now's your chance—leave your order early.

Write for patterns if you can't call.

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Messrs. MURDOCH'S In Park-street, Ltd., SYDNEY.

Please forward patterns of special 66/6 Suitings to-measure, also tape and self-measurement form.

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50/- Double-Breasted Overcoats at 37/6.

A special shipment of Dark Grey D.B. Overcoats, in Blankety Frieze Overcoating—smart and serviceable—well made and finished in latest style, with ample Collar, bold lapels with deep turn crossing close up to neck, strap cuffs and two button belt at back.

FOR ONE WEEK ONLY. 37/6.

A grand chance to save money on a good Winter Overcoat.

25/ Boys' Cotswold Suits for One Week only. 18/6

Boys' Cotswold Suits, in Dark Fancy British Tweeds, also Rough Donegal Mixtures—very smart and dressy for boys from 6 to 15 years. With plain band or button knees.

All one price, 18/6.

FOR ONE WEEK ONLY.

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SPORTING.

THE TURF.

The programme for the Rosehill Prince of Wales' Birthday meeting demands attention to-day, for at 4 p.m. entries close with the secretary, Mr. Geo. W. S. Rowe. The dozen events carry in the aggregate 1400 sovs prize-money, of which 150 sovs each endows the two long-distance handicaps, 125 sovs each the hurdle races and juvenile events, and 100 sovs each of the other races.

Up to 4 p.m. to-day the secretary, Mr. H. R. Evans, will receive entries for the Gosford Racing Club's fixture of the 20th inst, and for which 260 sovs prize-money has been provided.

Mr. H. Cobcroft, secretary, invites nominations, up to 8 p.m. to-day, for the half-dozen events on the programme for the Australian Trotting Club's meeting on the 19th inst, and which carry in the aggregate 310 sovs prize-money.

The Linacre colt, Lineage, hailing from T. Payten's stable, was the popular selection for the Warwick Handicap, on Saturday, the best supported of the others being Highland Band and Duckie, who figured on the same mark as joint second favourites, the imported mare Value, and Foil. The favourite ran most disappointingly, while Value practically won from the jump to the judge's box, but she had a very close call from Foil, who, with It's Funny, was almost upsides with her at the distance, the result being in doubt up to the last few strides, with It's Funny only half a length away. Pistacine, who ran fourth, showed an improvement on her recent performance at Randwick, and the favourite came home fifth. Duckie flattered her backers at the home turn, but failed to finish, and Highland Band was never dangerous. The winner is an imported mare by Valens (son of Laveno) from Politely, by Persimmon from Courtly, by Hampton.

The thoroughbred stallion, Reputation, has left Mr. W. J. Miller's veterinary hospital, Randwick, and has been transferred to Messrs. H. Chisholm and Co.'s stables. Mr. John M'Donald's representative has taken delivery of the son of Martian and Steepfeidt from Messrs. Chisholm and Co., through whom the sale of the horse was effected.

Eighteen took the track for the Pace Welter at Warwick Farm on Saturday, with The Mogul at the head of the quotations, but he was closely run in the market by Lady Antonio, who had already taken part in the Flying Handicap, while Mount Mostyn and Huthwaite were the only others backed with any confidence. In the early stages of the race, owing to the fading light, it was impossible to distinguish the colours, but as the horses came past the half-mile post Huthwaite and Lady Antonio were battling it out in front, and the pair put up a vigorous fight to the end, Lady Antonio just getting home by a very narrow margin. The favourite was never dangerous, but Mount Mostyn made a good bid for success, and had to be content with third place.

The committee of the W.D.R.A. (writes our Orange correspondent) is taking drastic steps with respect to the turf, and has already determined to cancel a large number of licenses which operate on the courses under its jurisdiction, and further similar action is in contemplation.

Messrs. H. Chisholm and Co. hold their monthly sale of bloodstock at their Randwick Stables this afternoon, starting at 3 o'clock. The lots catalogued include the imported mare Bunfeast (by Comus), John L. D. (by Maltster), Count Earlston (by Earlston), and Cacalia (by Holbrook).

WARWICK FARM RACING CLUB.

MY PALM WINS FLYING HANDICAP.

IMPORTED VALUE, THE WARWICK HANDICAP.

The Warwick Farm June Meeting was held on Saturday afternoon in dull, threatening weather, but there was only a light sprinkling of rain prior to the last race. The track was excellent going, and the only mishaps that occurred were a couple of hamper falls in the Hurdle Race. The sport was of interesting character, but backers of favourites had a bad time, for the best supported horses went down with unfailing regularity. The card was run through without unpleasantness, and the general arrangements, under the supervision of the secretary, Mr. H. B. Bando, were efficiently conducted. The details of the racing are subjoined:—

HURDLE RACE of 100 sovs; second horse 10 sovs, and third 5 sovs from the prize. About 2m.

Mr. J. Hoare's g Sir Modoc, by Sir Alwyne (imp.)—Birdie, aged, 10st (Mr. J. Onions) 1
Mr. V. G. Benyon's b m Yellowboy, 6yrs, 9st 11lb, inc. 11lb over (W. Burns) 2
Mr. M. Mecharley's br g King Dool, 5st 11lb, inc. 11lb over (J. Collitt) 3

Other starters: Bilbo, 9st 9lb (J. Clifton); Burdigan, 9st (J. Knox); Algoun, 9st (A. Foreman); Persic, 9st (G. Phillips); Steel Link, 9st 9lb, inc. 2lb over (S. Rae).

Betting: 2 to 1 v Yellowboy, 9 to 4 v St. Modoc, 8 to 1 v Steel Link, 10 to 1 v Bilbo, 14 to 1 each v King Dool and Persic.

Bilbo made play, and passing the five furlongs post was followed at length intervals by King Dool, Persic, Yellowboy, Burdigan, and St. Modoc. Rounding the last bend Bilbo and King Dool were disputing the lead just in advance of Yellowboy and St. Modoc. As they turned into the straight King Dool dropped back, and his place alongside Bilbo was taken by St. Modoc, who, after crossing the St. Leger hurdle, took charge and passed the stand, with Bilbo and Yellowboy at his heels, then, after a couple of strides, Steel Link—King Dool, and Persic—St. Modoc and Yellowboy passed the homestand on terms, clear from Bilbo, followed by Steel Link and King Dool, with Persic tailed off, and 80 yards behind along the back to the half-mile post, where they closed up. Bilbo and Algoun fell, and King Dool moved up next to St. Modoc, with Yellowboy next. St. Modoc was not afterwards troubled, and coming on won by three lengths from Yellowboy, who had King Dool at his girths. Steel Link was six lengths away, and ten in front of Burdigan, with Persic half a furlong away. Time, 3m 53⅘s.

FARM STAKES of 75 sovs.; second horse 10 sovs., and third horse 5 sovs. from prize. 1m.

Mrs. M. Moran's b g College Green, by Grafton (imp.)—Pretty Nell, 5yrs, 7st 11lb, inc. 11lb over (A. Wood) 1
Mr. J. W. Cook's br g Bonne Chance, 5yrs, all 5lb, carr. 7st 5lb (J. Troy) 2
Mr. J. Sieb's b g Sir Modoc, by Sir Alwyne (imp.)—Manlin, 5yrs, all 5lb, carr. 7st 5lb (L. Sieb) 3

Other starters: Knight Middleton, 8st 12lb (W. Black); Barley King, 8st 2lb (R. Lowe); Rocus, 8st (L. Walker); Wolma, 8st (A. Cullinan); Laura Brown, 7st 13lb, inc. 5lb over (H. Malcolm); Cosapara, 7st 4lb (F. Foley); Volt Ilario, all 7lb, carr. 6st 11lb (T. Rooke); Easy, 7st 4lb, inc. 2lb over (J. Reynolds); Dashing Wings, 7st 4lb, inc. 11lb over (D. Cosen); Primus, 6st 10lb (W. Crockett).

Betting: 7 to 2 each v Wolma and Prince Manlin, 4 to 1 v College Green, 10 to 1 each v Barley King, Bonne Chance, and Rocus, 12 to 1 each v Easy and Knight Middleton, 20 to 1 v the others.

Knight Middelton jumped off in front of Barley King and College Green, but passing the homestead, Barley King ran to the front, followed by Knight Middleton and College Green, with Bonne Chance at the head of the others. Save that Barley King increased his advantage to three lengths, there was no change as they raced along the back to the five furlongs post, College Green then ran into second place, followed by Knight Middleton, Laura Brown, and Bonne Chance. At the end of the next furlong Barley King was a length in front of College Green, after whom came Knight Middleton and Prince Manlin, Barley King maintained the lead, with College Green and Prince Manlin in pursuit; but as they swung into line for home College Green and Prince Manlin ran past Barley King, with Bonne Chance close up next. College Green and Prince Manlin were still disputing the lead at the distance; but inside that point College Green took charge, and won by a length from Bonne Chance, who was a neck in front of Prince Manlin. Easy was two lengths away fourth, followed by Knight Middleton, Rocus, and Primus, with Volt Ilario last. Time, 1m 43s.

FLYING HANDICAP of 100 sovs.; second horse 15 sovs., and third horse 5 sovs. from prize of 1m.

Mr. J. Irwin's b g My Palm, by Mimer (imp.)—Pameress, 4yrs, all 7lb, carr. 7st 7lb (J. Hamsey) 1
Mr. T. Arthur's br f Lady Clarit, 3yrs, 7st 6lb (G. Meddick) 2
Mr. G. Barnett's b m Lady Antonio, 4yrs, 7st 11lb (P. Maher) 3

Other starters: Clarieville, 8st (W. Hincks); Prince Palatine, all 3lb, carr. 7st 11lb (G. Hutchins); Kenilera, all. 7lb, carr. 7st 5lb (H. Ryan); Ruaima, 7st 12lb, inc. 1lb over (S. Bracken); Chantry, 7st 11lb (T. O'Keefe); Thistleseed, 6st; Rydt, 6st.

Betting: 2 to 1 v Lady Antonia, 4 to 1 each v Ruaima and My Palm, 5 to 1 v Chantry, 10 to 1 v Thistleseed, 20 to 1 v Lady Clarit, 25 to 1 v the others.

Lady Antonio and Lady Clarit were quickest off the mark, and at the end of the first furlong Lady Antonio was still leading by half a length from Lady Clarit, My Palm, and Ruaima. Without change they ran to the bend, where Chantry ranged up alongside Lady Antonio, and they were succeeded by My Palm and Ruaima. At the home turn, Lady Antonio shook off Chantry, who, at the distance, was followed by My Palm and Lady Clarit. Coming on with a fast run on the outside, My Palm just got up in time to win by a head from Lady Clarit, who was a similar trifle in advance of Lady Antonio. Chantry was four lengths away fourth, followed by Prince Palatine, Ruaima, and Thistleseed, with Charleville last. Time, 1m 44⅘s.

JUVENILE HANDICAP of 100 sovs.; second horse 15 sovs., and third horse 5 sovs. from the prize. 5f.

Mr. T. Hannan's br c Tintometer, by Malteter—Chat Off, 9st (F. Maher) 1
Mr. W. C. Kirby's br f Stillness, 7st 11lb, inc. 1lb over (A. Wood) 2
Mr. C. J. Evans' br f Santa Sabina, 7st 3lb (T. O'Keefe) 3

Other starters: Rayhex, 8st (W. Lillyman); Earldom, 8st (L. Walker); King's Ale, 7st 12lb (W. Doyle); Mount Wood, 7st 10lb (A. Bindon); Lord Barcaldine, 7st 10lb (C. Cullinan); Earl Desmond, 7st 7lb (L. Bragg); Rara Avis, 7st 6lb (F. Russell); Mount Frisco, 7st 4lb (F. Foley); Secret Code; 7st 4lb (M. Goode); Tonio, 7st (G. Lewis); Knight, 7st (F. Wilkinson).

Betting: Even money on Stillness, 4 to 1 v Tintometer, 8 to 1 v Earldom, 12 to 1 v King's Ale, 20 to 1 each v Kanga and Rayhex, 25 to 1 v the others.

Kanga and Stillness were the first to show out, and at the end of the first furlong were disputing the lead a couple of lengths from Rara Avis, Tintometer, and King's Ale. Without change they passed the half-mile post, and Stillness came round the bend with Kanga and Tintometer in pursuit, followed by Rara Avis and King's Ale. Stillness turned for home attended by Tintometer, King's Ale, and Santa Sabina; but Tintometer cut down the favourite at the distance and beat her home by a length and a half. Santa Sabina was four lengths off, followed by King's Ale, Kanga, Rara Avis, and Mount Frisco; while the Earl Desmond was last to pass the post. Time, 1m 18⅘s.

WARWICK FARM HANDICAP.

Mr. H. Hamy's ch g Value (imp.), by Valens—Politely, 4yrs, 7st 2lb (T. O'Keefe) 1
Mr. R. E. Frost's b h Foil, 4yrs, all. 7lb, carr. 8st 13lb, inc. 3lb over (J. Troy) 2
Messrs. N. McKenna's and S. Garis' ch c It's Funny, aged, all. 7lb, carr. 7st 8lb (J. Toohey) 3

Other starters: Royal Parade, all. 7lb, carr. 7st 10lb (A. Bindon); Kolapore, all. 7lb, carr. 7st (J. Topen); Plasticine, 7st 5lb (G. Meddick); Brundee Lad, all. 3lb, carr. 6st 11lb (G. Hutchins); Coorangoora, all. 3lb, carr. 6st 7lb (L. Bragg); Highland Band, 9st 7lb, inc. 7lb pen. (F. Foley); King Mostyn, all. 7lb, carr. 6st 7lb (M. Goode); Duckie, all. 5lb, carr. 6st 7lb (T. Rice); Lineage, 6st 7lb (C. Barden); Martin Chemlewski, 6st 6lb, inc. 2lb over (L. Bird).

Betting: 5 to 1 v Lineage, 6 to 1 each v Highland Band, Duckie, and Value, 10 to 1 v Foil, 20 to 1 v It's Funny and others.

Value was the first away, and passed the stand, closely followed by Highland Band, Royal Parade, and Kolapore, and so they ran to the homestead, where Value was leading from Royal Parade, Kolapore, and Highland Band, the latter racing along the back. Foil moved up into third place, and Value passed the five furlongs post four lengths from Royal Parade and Foil, who were followed by It's Funny and Highland Band. There was no material alteration as they rattled past the half-mile post, and Value came round the bend, followed by Plasticine, Royal Parade, It's Funny, Foil, and Duckie; while Bold his place to the distance, where Foil and It's Funny got almost on terms, and, in a most exciting finish, Value won by a head from Foil, with It's Funny half a length away. Plasticine was close up fourth, followed by Lineage and Duckie, while Kolapore and Brundee Lad were the last to pass the post. Time, 7m 8s.

PACE WELTER, a handicap of 75 sovs.; second horse 10 sovs., and third horse 5 sovs from prize. 1f.

Mr. G. Barnett's b m Lady Antonio, by Antonio (imp.)—Orreel, 4yrs, 8st 5lb (W. Black) 1
Mr. D. Livingstone's blk c Huthwaite, 4yrs, all. 8lb, carr. 8st (G. Hutchins) 2
Mr. W. Kelso's br g Mount Mostyn, 4yrs, 8st 5lb (J. Pike) 3

Other starters: Chantarella, 8st 10lb (R. Abbott); The Mogul, 8st 7lb (W. McLachlan); Celeritas, all. 7lb, carr. 7st 11lb (F. Page); Duke Merv, 8st 6lb (J. Lightfoot); Loved One, 8st 6lb (F. Hickey); Miss Persian, 8st 10lb, inc. 7lb pen. (W. Baker); Quinologist, 8st 3lb, carr. 8st (G. Hutchins); Collar Box, 8st (L. Walker); Resby, 8st (T. O'Keefe); Lady Clarence, 8st (W. Lillyman); Long Reef, 8st (H. Brennan); Miss Poppet, 8st 1lb, carr. 7st 7lb (J. Toohey); Royal Navy, all 3lb, carr. 7st 11lb (L. Sieb); Stokham, 8st (G. Finn).

Betting: 5 to 1 v The Mogul, 7 to 2 v Lady Antonio, 6 to 1 v Mount Mostyn, 8 to 1 v Huthwaite, 12 to 1 each v Miss Persic, Royal Navy, and Loved One, 14 to 1 v Lady Clarence, 20 to 1 each v others.

Owing to the waning light, the colours could not be distinguished during the first couple of furlongs, but when they reached the half-mile post Lady Antonio and Huthwaite were in front from Mount Mostyn and a big bunch. Huthwaite came round the head with Lady Antonio and Mount Mostyn in pursuit, and they were succeeded by The Mogul and Royal Navy. Lady Antonio challenged Huthwaite at the distance, and in an exciting finish from that point won by a head. Mount Mostyn was half a length away fourth, and three lengths in advance of Royal Navy, The Mogul, Collar Box, and Miss Persic, while the last to pass the post was Chantarella. Time, 1m 15⅘s.

N.S.W. TROTTING CLUB.

AMY MONT WINS FLYING HANDICAP.

TOMMY'S PRIDE, CLUB HANDICAP.

The New South Wales Trotting Club's meeting on Saturday attracted one of the largest gatherings seen at the Epping course. The fields were excellent, and the Trial Handicap was run off in three divisions. A protest for alleged interference was entered on behalf of Miss All in the Trotting Club Handicap, but it was dismissed. Details:—

Trial Handicap of 60 sovs., second horse 10 sovs. from the prize, horses handicapped to trot 2.34 or better to the mile, 1m 1f.—First division: Heather Bloom, bm Honest Hans—Ella Rose, aged, 3st 9lb (J. Small) ..... 1; Kittie Belmont, har., 3st 9lbd (S. Williams), 2; Celtic, sad., 2st 9lb (C. Pendergast), 3. Other starters: Jack Daly, hst., scr; Gay Laddie, chestnut gelding, 5yrs, hst., scr; Sweet Ribbons, har., scr; Allieroy, har., 2st 9lbd.; Harvey Hoon, har., 3st 9lbd.; Black Brig, har., 7st 9lb. Betting: 3 to 1 v Fleetfoot, 2 to 1 v Rockleaf, 4 to 1 v Allieroy, 10 to 1 v Tartan Ribbons, 10 to 1 each v Heather Hoon, 7 to 1 each v Jack Daly and Merrigang, 20 to 1 each v the others. Won by a length and a half, nine lengths between second and third. Time, 2m 43⅘s.

Second division: Bobsleed, by Bay Rob—dam by Yorkie, 3yrs, bar., 3st 6lbd (J. R. Pluis), 1; Ruby Gift, 4yrs, bar., 3st 9lbd (J. Gilroy), 2; Lurnea, bar., 3st 9lbd (G. R. Morris), 3. Other starters: Lady Andrew, har., 4st 9lbd; Harry Daly, bar., 1st 9lbd; Little Charming, bar., 4st 9lbd; Vic Allen, sad., 4st 9lbd; M'Kinney Bells, bar., 3st 9lbd; Tiny Hoon, sad., 3st 9lbd; My Fancy, sad., 3st 9lbd; Lady Alpha, bar., 3st 9lbd; Derby Ribbons, bar., 4st 9lbd. Betting: 2 to 1 v Bobsleed, 3 to 1 v My Fancy, 6 to 1 each v Ruby Gift, Lurnea, and Ella Charming, 10 to 1 v Lurnea and others. Won by six lengths, three lengths between second and third. Time, 2m 42⅘s.

Third division: Eaglewing, by Australian Parole (imp., —Golden Eagle, 4yrs, bar., 5st 9lbd (A. Shaw), 1; Head Lady, bar., 7st 9lbd (C. R. O'Brien), 2; Prince Alexander, bar., 5st 9lbd (P. Murphy), 3. Other starters: Lady Alameda, ha., 4st 9lbd.; Great Britain, bar., 6st 9lbd; Milk Lad, sad., 6st 9lbd.; Ben's Pick, sad., 7st 9lbd.; Whipwood, sad., 8st 9lbd.; Lord Easton, bar., 8st 9lbd.; Rose of M., bar., 8st 9lbd.; Bell Hoon, bar., 8st 9lbd. Betting: 7 to 4 v Head Lady, 4 to 1 v Bell Hoon, 5 to 1 v Eaglewing, 7 to 1 v Whipwood, 12 to 1 v Prince Wood, 10 to 12 to 1 each v the others. Won by a neck, a length between second and third. Time, 2m 43⅘s.

Glebe Handicap of 50 sovs, second horse 8 sovs from the prize; horses handicapped to trot 3.33 or better, 1m 1f.—Amy Mont, by Belmont M.—Amiable, 6yrs, bar., 2st 9lbd. (D. Riddle), 1; Brooklyn, sad., 6st 9lbd. (J. Eddie), 2; Lady Dora, sad., 1st 9lbd. (J. H. Ellis), 3. Other starters: McFlow Chief, bar., scr; Red Cloud, sad., scr; Dan Dillan, sad., 1st 9lbd.; Nappell, sad., 1st 9lbd.; Black Wilkes Junr., har., 1st 9lbd. Flying Bells, bar., 3st 9lbd.; Lady Elmo, sad., 3st 9lbd. Won by a head; length and a half between second and third. Time, 2m 13⅘s.

Novice Handicap of £50, 6f.—E. White's ch m Main Feather, by Featherstitch (imp.)—Tottie, 4yrs, 7st 2lb (Dobie) ..... 1; R. Wyndham's ch g Flaxman, 5yrs, 8st 5lb (James), 2; T. Sharpe's ch c Halbroun, 3yrs, 7st 4lb, inc. 2lb over; Reidstrong, 3yrs, 7st 2lb; Wingcarribee, 3yrs, 7st 2lb; Duke Wood, har., 2st 9lbd.; Bruidwood, sad., 3st 9lbd.; Cullinan, sad., 4st 9lbd.; Tartan Ribbons, bar., 5st 9lbd. Betting: 2 to 1 v Gay Bob, 7 to 2 v Van Rock, 6 to 1 each v Duke Wood and Clare Bee, 10 to 1 v Login B., 16 to 1 each v the others. Won by a neck, a neck between second and third. Time, 1m 16⅘s.

Trotting Club Handicap of 60 sovs; second horse 5 sovs from the prize. Horses handicapped to trot 3.45 or better; 1m.—Tommy's Pride, by Tommy II.—Belle, aged, 6st 7lb (A. Cullinan), Laura Brown, 7st 12lb, inc. 5lb over (H. Malcolm); Cosapara, 7st 4lb (F. Foley); Volt Ilario, all. 7lb, carr. 6st 11lb (T. Rooke); Easy, 7st 4lb, inc. 2lb over (J. Reynolds); Dashing Wings, 7st 4lb, inc. 11lb over (D. Cosen); Primus, 6st 10lb (W. Crockett).

Betting: 7 to 2 each v Wolma and Prince Manlin, 4 to 1 v College Green, 10 to 1 each v Barley King, Bonne Chance, and Rocus, 12 to 1 each v Easy and Knight Middleton, 20 to 1 v the others.

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Mr. J. Irwin's b g My Palm, by Mimer (imp.)—Pameress, 4yrs, all 7lb, carr. 7st 7lb (J. Hamsey) 1
Mr. T. Arthur's br f Lady Clarit, 3yrs, 7st 6lb (G. Meddick) 2
Mr. G. Barnett's b m Lady Antonio, 4yrs, 7st 11lb (P. Maher) 3

Other starters: Clarieville, 8st (W. Hincks); Prince Palatine, all. 3lb, carr. 7st 5lb (H. Ryan); Ruaima, 7st 12lb, inc. 1lb over (S. Bracken); Chantry, 7st 11lb (T. O'Keefe); Thistleseed, 6st; Rydt, 6st.

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WARWICK FARM HANDICAP.

Mr. H. Hamy's ch g Value (imp.), by Valens—Politely, 4yrs, 7st 2lb (T. O'Keefe) 1
Mr. R. E. Frost's b h Foil, 4yrs, all. 7lb, carr. 8st 13lb, inc. 3lb over (J. Troy) 2
Messrs. N. McKenna's and S. Garis' ch c It's Funny, aged, all. 7lb, carr. 7st 8lb (J. Toohey) 3

Other starters: Royal Parade, all. 7lb, carr. 7st 10lb (A. Bindon); Kolapore, all. 7lb, carr. 7st (J. Topen); Plasticine, 7st 5lb (G. Meddick); Brundee Lad, all. 3lb, carr. 6st 11lb (G. Hutchins); Coorangoora, all. 3lb, carr. 6st 7lb (L. Bragg); Highland Band, 9st 7lb, inc. 7lb pen. (F. Foley); King Mostyn, all. 7lb, carr. 6st 7lb (M. Goode); Duckie, all. 5lb, carr. 6st 7lb (T. Rice); Lineage, 6st 7lb (C. Barden); Martin Chemlewski, 6st 6lb, inc. 2lb over (L. Bird).

Betting: 5 to 1 v Lineage, 6 to 1 each v Highland Band, Duckie, and Value, 10 to 1 v Foil, 20 to 1 v It's Funny and others.

Value was the first away, and passed the stand, closely followed by Highland Band, Royal Parade, and Kolapore, and so they ran to the homestead, where Value was leading from Royal Parade, Kolapore, and Highland Band, the latter racing along the back. Foil moved up into third place, and Value passed the five furlongs post four lengths from Royal Parade and Foil, who were followed by It's Funny and Highland Band. There was no material alteration as they rattled past the half-mile post, and Value came round the bend, followed by Plasticine, Royal Parade, It's Funny, Foil, and Duckie; while Bold his place to the distance, where Foil and It's Funny got almost on terms, and, in a most exciting finish, Value won by a head from Foil, with It's Funny half a length away. Plasticine was close up fourth, followed by Lineage and Duckie, while Kolapore and Brundee Lad were the last to pass the post. Time, 7m 8s.

PACE WELTER, a handicap of 75 sovs.; second horse 10 sovs., and third horse 5 sovs from prize. 1f.

Mr. G. Barnett's b m Lady Antonio, by Antonio (imp.)—Orreel, 4yrs, 8st 5lb (W. Black) 1
Mr. D. Livingstone's blk c Huthwaite, 4yrs, all. 8lb, carr. 8st (G. Hutchins) 2
Mr. W. Kelso's br g Mount Mostyn, 4yrs, 8st 5lb (J. Pike) 3

Other starters: Chantarella, 8st 10lb (R. Abbott); The Mogul, 8st 7lb (W. McLachlan); Celeritas, all. 7lb, carr. 7st 11lb (F. Page); Duke Merv, 8st 6lb (J. Lightfoot); Loved One, 8st 6lb (F. Hickey); Miss Persian, 8st 10lb, inc. 7lb pen. (W. Baker); Quinologist, 8st 3lb, carr. 8st (G. Hutchins); Collar Box, 8st (L. Walker); Resby, 8st (T. O'Keefe); Lady Clarence, 8st (W. Lillyman); Long Reef, 8st (H. Brennan); Miss Poppet, 8st 1lb, carr. 7st 7lb (J. Toohey); Royal Navy, all 3lb, carr. 7st 11lb (L. Sieb); Stokham, 8st (G. Finn).

Betting: 5 to 1 v The Mogul, 7 to 2 v Lady Antonio, 6 to 1 v Mount Mostyn, 8 to 1 v Huthwaite, 12 to 1 each v Miss Persic, Royal Navy, and Loved One, 14 to 1 v Lady Clarence, 20 to 1 each v others.

Owing to the waning light, the colours could not be distinguished during the first couple of furlongs, but when they reached the half-mile post Lady Antonio and Huthwaite were in front from Mount Mostyn and a big bunch. Huthwaite came round the head with Lady Antonio and Mount Mostyn in pursuit, and they were succeeded by The Mogul and Royal Navy. Lady Antonio challenged Huthwaite at the distance, and in an exciting finish from that point won by a head. Mount Mostyn was half a length away fourth, and three lengths in advance of Royal Navy, The Mogul, Collar Box, and Miss Persic, while the last to pass the post was Chantarella. Time, 1m 15⅘s.

N.S.W. TROTTING CLUB.

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TOMMY'S PRIDE, CLUB HANDICAP.

The New South Wales Trotting Club's meeting on Saturday attracted one of the largest gatherings seen at the Epping course. The fields were excellent, and the Trial Handicap was run off in three divisions. A protest for alleged interference was entered on behalf of Miss All in the Trotting Club Handicap, but it was dismissed. Details:—

Trial Handicap of 60 sovs., second horse 10 sovs. from the prize, horses handicapped to trot 2.34 or better to the mile, 1m 1f.—First division: Heather Bloom, bm Honest Hans—Ella Rose, aged, 3st 9lb (J. Small) ..... 1; Kittie Belmont, har., 3st 9lbd (S. Williams), 2; Celtic, sad., 2st 9lbd (C. Pendergast), 3. Other starters: Jack Daly, hst., scr; Gay Laddie, chestnut gelding, 5yrs, hst., scr; Sweet Ribbons, har., scr; Allieroy, har., 2st 9lbd.; Harvey Hoon, har., 3st 9lbd.; Black Brig, har., 7st 9lb. Betting: 3 to 1 v Fleetfoot, 2 to 1 v Rockleaf, 4 to 1 v Allieroy, 10 to 1 v Tartan Ribbons, 10 to 12 to 1 each v the others. Won by six lengths; half a length between second and third. Time, 2m 43⅘s.

Second division: Bobsleed, by Bay Rob—dam by Yorkie, 3yrs, bar., 3st 6lbd (J. R. Pluis), 1; Ruby Gift, 4yrs, bar., 3st 9lbd (J. Gilroy), 2; Lurnea, bar., 3st 9lbd (G. R. Morris), 3. Other starters: Lady Andrew, har., 4st 9lbd; Harry Daly, bar., 1st 9lbd; Little Charming, bar., 4st 9lbd; Vic Allen, sad., 4st 9lbd; M'Kinney Bells, bar., 3st 9lbd; Tiny Hoon, sad., 3st 9lbd; My Fancy, sad., 3st 9lbd; Lady Alpha, bar., 3st 9lbd; Derby Ribbons, bar., 4st 9lbd. Betting: 2 to 1 v Bobsleed, 3 to 1 v My Fancy, 6 to 1 each v Ruby Gift, Lurnea, and Ella Charming, 10 to 1 v Lurnea and others. Won by six lengths, three lengths between second and third. Time, 2m 42⅘s.

Third division: Eaglewing, by Australian Parole (imp., —Golden Eagle, 4yrs, bar., 5st 9lbd (A. Shaw), 1; Head Lady, bar., 7st 9lbd (C. R. O'Brien), 2; Prince Alexander, bar., 5st 9lbd (P. Murphy), 3. Other starters: Lady Alameda, ha., 4st 9lbd.; Great Britain, bar., 6st 9lbd; Milk Lad, sad., 6st 9lbd.; Ben's Pick, sad., 7st 9lbd.; Whipwood, sad., 8st 9lbd.; Lord Easton, bar., 8st 9lbd.; Rose of M., bar., 8st 9lbd.; Bell Hoon, bar., 8st 9lbd. Betting: 7 to 4 v Head Lady, 4 to 1 v Bell Hoon, 5 to 1 v Eaglewing, 7 to 1 v Whipwood, 12 to 1 v Prince Wood, 10 to 12 to 1 each v the others. Won by a neck, a length between second and third. Time, 2m 43⅘s.

Glebe Handicap of 50 sovs, second horse 8 sovs from the prize; horses handicapped to trot 3.33 or better; 1m 1f.—Amy Mont, by Belmont M.—Amiable, 6yrs, bar., 2st 9lbd. (D. Riddle), 1; Brooklyn, sad., 6st 9lbd. (J. Eddie), 2; Lady Dora, sad., 1st 9lbd. (J. H. Ellis), 3. Other starters: McFlow Chief, bar., scr; Red Cloud, sad., scr; Dan Dillan, sad., 1st 9lbd.; Nappell, sad., 1st 9lbd.; Black Wilkes Junr., har., 1st 9lbd. Flying Bells, bar., 3st 9lbd.; Lady Elmo, sad., 3st 9lbd. Won by a head; length and a half between second and third. Time, 2m 13⅘s.

Valley Handicap, 1½m.—Mr. J. J. Foulsham's Royal Arva, by Right Royal—Norma, 7st 9lb (R. Lewis), 1; Mr. J.

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Foster Clark's Custard Powder, large, 1/		11/3
"Rose" Flavouring Essences	/6	5/6
Kennett Oysters	/7½	7/3
Middle Cut Salmon, 1lb	/8	7/9
"Oyster" Brand Salmon, 1lb	/6½	6/3
E.X.L. Acetic Acid, 150z tins, from 5/3		
E.X.L. Assorted Jams, 2½oz tins, from 2/9.		
Golden Rod Washing Powder	/6	5/9
Goblin Pumice Soap	/4	3/9

Price List of General Groceries posted on application.

Send us a list of your requirements, and we will forward pro forma invoice, showing the exact cost of the goods landed at your nearest station or wharf.

McILRATH'S, LIMITED,

Head Office and Country Order Department,
CORNER PITT AND GOULBURN STREETS,
SYDNEY.

Branches in Principal Suburbs.

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BY

EDWARD ARNOLD AND CO.

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FOR THE VALUES IN

HOUSEHOLD GOODS,

AND

FLANNELETTE & BLOUSINGS

PLAIN WHITE SHEETINGS,
54-inch, 1/6½, 1/11 yd; 70-inch, 1/9½, 1/3½ yd; 76-80-inch, 1/11½, 1/6½, 2/3 yd.

WHITE TWILLED SHEETINGS,
54-inch, 1/6½, 1/9½, 1/3½ yd; 70-inch, 1/9½, 1/6½, 1/3½, 1/7½ yd; 80-inch, 1/6½, 1/3½, 2/3 yd.

UNBLEACHED SHEETINGS,
54-inch, Plain, 1/1½, 1/3½ yd; 70-inch, 1/3½ yd; 80-inch, 1/4½, 1/6½, 1/7½ yd.
64-inch, Twilled, 1/3½ yd; 70-inch, 1/4½, 1/6½ yd; 80-inch, 1/6½, 1/7½, 1/8½.

SNOW-WHITE TABLE DAMASK,
54-6-inch, 1/3½, 1/4½, 1/7½ yd; 62-6-inch, 1/3½, 1/6½, 1/10½, 2/ yd; 70-inch, 1/7½, 1/8½, 2/, 2/4½ yd; 70-inch, All Linen, 2/6, 2/9, 2/11, 3/3, 3/6, 3/11, 4/6 yd.

UNBLEACHED DAMASK,
56-inch, 1/6½ yd; 62-6-inch, 1/8½ yd; 68-70-inch, cut prices.

RED BORDERED DAMASK,
1/7½ yd.

SERVIETTES, HEMMED READY FOR USE,
3/6, 3/11, 4/6, 4/11, 5/6, 6/6, 7/6, 9/6, 10/6, 11/6, to 18/6 doz.

BLUE AND WHITE STRIPED TICKINGS,
40-inch, 11½d, 1/9½, 1/11, 2/3½ yd; 58-inch, 1/1½d, 1/7½ yd; 63-inch, 1/5½, 1/9½ yd.

BELGIAN TICKINGS,
36-inch, 1/3½, 1/6½, 1/11, 2/3 yd.

LONG CLOTH,
THE ED. ARNOLD BRAND, PURE FINISH,
36-inch, 4/6, 4/9, 4/11, 5/11, 6/6, 7/6 doz.

MADAPOLAM,
Very Soft Finish, 36-inch, 5/11, 6/6, 7/6, 8/9 doz; 42-inch, 6/6, 7/11, 9/11, 10/6, 12/6 doz.

CREAM FLANNELETTE,
2/11, 4/11, 5/11, 7/6, 8/6 doz; 36-inch, Soft Finish, 8/11, 7/11, 8/6, 10/9 doz.

CREAM OSMAN TWILLS, Flannel Finish,
31-inch, 9/11; 36-inch, 10/9.

SHIRTING AND PYJAMA STRIPED FLANNELETTE,
4/11, 6/11, 7/11, 8/9 doz.

OSMAN STRIPES,
9/6, 10/6, 11/6 doz.

BLOUSINGS.

CASHMERE BLOUSINGS,
27 inches wide, in Spot and Pencil Stripes, 7½d yd.

MILITARY STRIPED CASHMERE FINISHED FLANNELETTE BLOUSINGS, Very Smart, 6½d yard.

FLEECY-FINISHED FLANNELETTES, in Floral and Checks, 10½d yd.

"GRAFTON" SUEDE VELOURS FLANNELETTES, 27 inches, in Spot, Floral, and Striped Effect, 1/0½ yard.

FLANNEL BLOUSINGS,
Creme Flannel Blousings with Red, Sky, Navy, or Black Sago Spots, Sky, Navy, and Black Pencil Stripes, 2/9 yd.

STRIPED BLOUSINGS AND BLAZER FLANNELS, Smart Colour Combinations, in great profusion,
2/11 yard.

CRIMSON FLANNELS, with White or Black Spots, and Black Stripes,
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A "NEW PERFECTION" KEROSENE HEATER WILL TURN YOUR COLDEST ROOM INTO A COSY DEN AT A COST OF LESS THAN ½D PER HOUR, FOR RUNNING EXPENSES. THESE HEATERS ARE SO SCIENTIFICALLY DESIGNED THAT THEY BURN WITH A CLEAR WHITE FLAME OF INTENSE HEAT, WHICH NEITHER SMOKES NOR GIVES OFF ANY ODOUR.

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ON SHOW IN

OUR GEORGE-STREET WINDOWS.

THERE ARE SEVERAL SIZES WHICH YOU MAY SEE IN OUR GEORGE-STREET WINDOWS ALL THIS WEEK.

"NEW PERFECTION" BLACK BODY KEROSENE HEATERS.

THE BODY IS A PERMANENT DEAD BLACK RELIEVED BY NICKEL TRIMMINGS. THE RUBY GLASS WINDOW IN THE FRONT GIVES A COSY LOOK AND THE PERFORATED, REVOLVING TOP PLATE ENABLES WATER TO BE BOILED IF DESIRED. THE LAMP HAS A PATENT AUTOMATIC LOCK WHICH PREVENTS THE WICK BEING RAISED TOO HIGH, AND IS ALSO FITTED WITH AN INDICATOR WHICH SHOWS AT A GLANCE JUST HOW MUCH OIL IS IN THE RESERVOIR.

SMALL SIZE ..... 17/9.
MEDIUM SIZE ..... 21/6.
LARGE SIZE (has extra large lamp to save frequent fillings) ..... 28/6.

"NEW PERFECTION" BLUE ENAMELLED BODY KEROSENE [illegible] HEATERS

ARE FINISHED IN A PRETTY SHADE OF BLUE ENAMEL, BUT ARE IDENTICAL IN ALL OTHER RESPECTS TO THE BLACK BODY TYPE.

MEDIUM SIZE ..... 27/6.
LARGE SIZE ..... 31/6.

BEARD, WATSON, LIMITED,

391-395 GEORGE-STREET, SYDNEY.

AN ECONOMIC EVENT OF SUPREME IMPORTANCE.

PUBLIC SUPPLY STORES, Ltd.

393-5 PITT-STREET.

DRASTIC REDUCTIONS
in
COSTUMES, COATS, BLOUSES, AND SKIRTS.

Smart Russian Covert Coating COAT AND SKIRT, long flared Coat, fancy belt, trimmed self-coloured frogs, new flared skirt.
FOR ONE WEEK ONLY, 67/6.

Up-to-date COVERT COATING COSTUME, coat, flared ase effect, revers and turned down collar, full skirt, in assorted sizes.
FOR ONE WEEK ONLY, 65/6.

Attractive Fine NAVY SERGE COSTUME, in newest cape effect, trimmed wide military braid, and buttoned to neck, flared skirt, braided foot.
FOR ONE WEEK ONLY, 79/6.

Smart NAVY SERGE COSTUME, ase coat, fancy belt, trimmed braid and buttons, new skirt, flared foot.
FOR ONE WEEK ONLY, 65/.

Navy Serge COAT AND SKIRT, ase coat, fancy revers, collar and belt, full skirt, trimmed buttons.
FOR ONE WEEK ONLY, 49/6.

Effective TWEED COSTUME, loose ase style, buttoned in neck, roll collar, pockets and belt, flared skirt.
FOR ONE WEEK ONLY, 29/.

The latest in WOOLLEN SPORTS COATS, long roll collar, loose buttoned belt and pockets, in Vieux Rose, Khaki, and Royal Blue.
FOR ONE WEEK ONLY, 37/11.

Ladies' SPORTS COATS, in newest style, winter weight, pockets and belt, assorted shades and sizes.
FOR ONE WEEK ONLY, 27/11.

Smart NAVY SERGE SKIRTS, waistcoat tops, flared foot, assorted sizes.
FOR ONE WEEK ONLY, 15/11.

Ladies' Attractive WALKING SKIRT, fancy front yoke, pleated foot, assorted sizes.
FOR ONE WEEK ONLY, 27/6.

Coloured FLANNEL BLOUSES, assorted shades, new collars, inset and fancy Raglan sleeves.
FOR ONE WEEK ONLY, 7/11, 8/11, 9/11, to 15/6.
SPECIAL LINE.
FLANNELETTE BLOUSES, assorted patterns and sizes, wonderful value.
FOR ONE WEEK ONLY, 1/11½.

PUBLIC SUPPLY STORES, Ltd,

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MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.

MILLINERY IN ALL THE FASHIONABLE STYLES WE ARE OFFERING AT VERY REDUCED PRICES.

THEY ARE THE CREATIONS OF THE WORLD'S ARTISTS, AND WE CAN CONFIDENTLY RECOMMEND THE VARIOUS VOGUES AS BEING QUITE THE CORRECT THING.

READY-TO-WEAR MODELS.

UNTRIMMED SHAPES,

AND THE WHEREWITHAL TO CREATE A HAT TO SUIT YOUR PERSONAL WISHES.

OUR MILLINERS WILL BE GLAD TO TAKE YOUR ORDERS, LADIES, BUT DON'T DELAY—THE WINTER RUSH HAS SET IN.

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.

SPECIAL BARGAINS IN LADIES' FELT HATS.
CLEARING LINE, No. 1.—Bowler Shape, Tan, Grey, Maroon, Lime, Saxe, 1/11½.
No. 2.—SPECIAL VALUE in White Untrimmed Felts, small and medium shapes, 2/11½, 3/11½. Worth 7/11.
No. 3.—White Ready-to-wear, trimmed band ribbon, two sizes, 3/11½.
No. 4.—White Ready-to-wear, trimmed band ribbon, two sizes. All wool, of a white colour, whipped singly, for use one at a time if desired, but, as there is bound to be an immediate demand, an early visit is strongly recommended.
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No. 6.—Fashionable Shape, in V. Rose, Myrtle, Royal, Saxe, Tan, Lime, lined Black, 5/11½. Worth 12/6.
No. 7.—Smart Fashion Shape, in Black Beaver, 10/6, 12/6.
Good Value in Stylish Shapes, Black or Nigger Brown, Velours, 21/, 25/, 32/6.
Matrons' Shapes, in Felt, Beaver, Velvet, Silk. Lowest prices.
All the latest, in Velvet, Silk, or Straw and Silk, "Ready-wears," 4/11, 5/11, 6/6, 7/6.
"Pull-over" styles, comfortable and smart, Black and colours, Silk or Velvet, 5/11.
Matrons' Trimmed Hats, Silk and Velvet, Black, Navy, Brown, Black and White, 12/11, 15/6, 17/6, 21/.
Choice hand-made models, trimmed with latest beaded and metal effects in ornaments, sprays, etc., 21/, 25/, 27/6, 32/6, to 63/.
UNTRIMMED HATS in great variety, Tagel, Linere, and Coarse Plait. Colours, Brown, Navy, Mole, Nigger, Black, Royal, Saxe, Putty, White.
LARGE and CHOICE STOCK of CHILDREN'S MILLINERY, Velvet, Silk, Straw. Very low prices.
INFANTS' SILK BONNETS, 1/11½, 2/3, 2/11, 3/6, 3/11½, to 12/6.
CHILDREN'S PETER PAN HATS, CLEARING LINE, 9d, 1/, 1/3, all colours.
Woollen Caps and Bonnets, 6d, 9d, 1/.
Childrens' Velvet Hats, 3/6, 4/11, 5/11.
Maids' "Bucked" Velvet Hats, droop shape, trimmed ribbon, Navy, Brown, Saxe, Black, Navy, 5/11.
BARGAINS IN FLOWERS, FEATHERS, WINGS, WING MOUNTS.

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PURCHASES WE GIVE IN THE FORM OF GREEN COUPONS.

They cost the customer nothing. You get your full value for the money you spend, plus a discount by way of coupons redeemable at the fine showrooms of the

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IN

CONEY SEAL COATS,

IMITATION PONY SKIN COATS, AND SEALETTE COATS.

NEW STYLES, NEW SHAPES, AND MOST FASHIONABLE.

The above statement is merely a bare announcement, but it conveys to smart women news that is specially welcome. The coldest part of the winter is yet before us—nasty chilling winds, nippy days and evenings that are raw and unpleasant. A coat becomes an essential, and there is no smarter or more becoming mode than one of the three styles we are now offering.

INSPECT THEM TO-DAY.
COAT DEPT., SECOND FLOOR.

CONEY SEAL COATS.

AS WORN BY SMART WOMEN ABROAD.
PRICE 12 GUINEAS.—NEW SWING STYLE, in pleated skirts, beautifully cut, and featuring the new convertible collar. The sleeves are ruffed, and it is lined with coreflower blue chiffon taffetas.
PRICE 18 GUINEAS.—MILITARY SWING COAT, with saddle-bag sleeve, ¾ length, revers, and deep roll collar. Dress with crescent pearl and onyx buttons, lined throughout with ripple Paillette.
THE RANGE UNDER NOTICE INCLUDES OTHER EXTREMELY DESIRABLE STYLES AT—PRICE 12, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20 GUINEAS.

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THE GARMENT OF QUALITY ALLIED TO STYLE.
A Pony Skin Protective Coat fulfils almost every requirement. It is smart, will wear well, has all the appearance of luxury, and at the same time the price is so moderate as to bring it within the reach of the limited purse.
SPECIAL VALUES.
PRICE 63.—FLARED SWING MODEL, with convertible collar. The fabric beautifully marked with bright finish. Lined, and well made, and has the correct half belt.
PRICE 66/6.—MILITARY SWING COAT, featuring a new side fancy belt, the sleeves are inset, roll collar, and cord fastenings, and buttons.
OTHER PONY SKIN COATS, 55/, 63/, 67/6, up to 8 Guineas.

SEALETTE COATS.

CORRECT LITTLE MODELS, INEXPENSIVELY PRICED.
PRICE 66/6.—SMART RAGLAN MILITARY STYLE, very full skirt, with deep roll collar, and cuffs, and belted, has rear vent with large buttons.
PRICE 72/6.—WALKING COAT, in a swing style, which fastens to the neck. The shoulder is a Raglan, with roll collar, and it has side straps. Very large quality, and good useful.
SPECIAL WINDOW DISPLAY TO-DAY.

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OFFERING IN THE LACE DEPARTMENT JUST NOW AT LESS THAN HALF THEIR USUAL PRICES. SPLENDID FOR TRIMMING UNDERWEAR FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN.
We pay carriage on drapery within the Commonwealth, but not on carpets, linens, trunks, or toys.

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Between Liverpool and Goulburn streets, Sydney.
'Phone, 4506 City.

SALE. SALE. SALE.
FURS. FURS. FURS.

FINAL CLEARANCE OF 1914 FURS, MUFFS, and COATS, at prices that will surprise you. We are determined to effect a clearance, and are marking the stuff regardless of cost. Our prices will convince you of our efforts to make a clearance.

	Usual Price.	Sale Price.
Squirrel Butterfly Necklets, 3 pieces, Hanging, Fur-lined	35/ ..	20/
White Imitation Ermine Necklets, Silk-lined	21/ ..	9/6
White Imitation Ermine Muffs, Silk-lined	33/ ..	9/6
Black Fox Head and Tail, Latest Necklets	£2/10/ ..	25/6
Large Black Tango Furs	£3/3/ ..	21/
Large Black Open Muffs	21/ ..	9/6
Extra Special Reductions in Fur Coats, only just landed.		
Very Smart Coney Seal, Full Flare Coats, beautifully lined	£16/16/..	£8/10/
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Exceptional Bargains in WHITE FURS, HEIR, STONE MARTEN, etc. Repairs and Alterations effected. Skins Tanned, Dyed, and Made Up.
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EXCEPTIONAL VALUE IN
JAP WHITE WASHING SILK
27in, 1/3, 1/6, 1/9, 1/11, 2/3, 2/6, etc.
36in, 2/3, 2/6, 2/9, 3/3, 3/6, 4/6, etc.
45in, 3/6, 3/11, 4/6, 4/9, etc.
JAPANESE WASHING SATIN, in all shades.
27in, 2/6, 2/11, 3/3 Yd.
CREPE DE CHINES in all shades, 45in, 5/11, 6/3, 6/11 Yd.; 40in, 3/11, 4/3, 4/11 Yd.
CHINESE GRASS LAWN, Pale Blue, White, Saxe, 34in, 2/9, 3/, 3/3, 3/6, etc.
TUSSORE SILK, 28in, 1/6. Specially for Soldiers' Shirts, 36in, 2/9, 3/3, 3/6, 3/9, 3/11, etc.
GRAND ASSORTMENT in SILK QUILTED DRESSING GOWNS from 21/, 25/, 27/6, 30/, etc.
SILK, SATIN, and CREPE DE CHINE KIMONOS, from 22/6, etc.
We Pay Carriage on all Country Orders over 10/.
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1880-1916.
Seventy-six Years.

WHITE WOOLLEN BLANKETS

2000 PAIRS OF HIGH-QUALITY BLANKETS, IN ALL SIZES, NOTICEABLE FOR THEIR FLEECY CHARACTER, OFFERED AT POPULAR PRICES.

These are scarce goods—have been so for many months.
Stocks in Sydney are notoriously small, and choice remarkably limited.
But Farmers, just in time for the really cold months of the year, have received a large shipment from the best English mills at prices that must be considered very satisfactory indeed.
We now have the finest stock in Sydney of Blankets, which up to now have been almost unprocurable.
This news will be welcome to those shoppers who have felt the paucity of stocks, and more particularly will they welcome the 22-month Prices at which the various sizes are offered.
FOR SINGLE BEDS, 37/6 PER PAIR.
THREE-QUARTER BEDS, 40/6 PER PAIR.
DOUBLE BEDS, 50/ PER PAIR.
EXTRA WIDE BEDS, 60/ PER PAIR.
In every respect these Blankets may be relied upon to give satisfaction in warmth and wear. They are all wool, of a white colour, whipped singly, for use one at a time if desired, but, as there is bound to be an immediate demand, an early visit is strongly recommended.
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LADIES' QUILTED SILK SLIPPERS.

ANOTHER SCARCE LINE IN SYDNEY. We CAN SUPPLY THESE IN BLACK, PINK, PALE BLUE, AND ROSE COLOURS AT THE SPECIAL VALUE PRICE OF 3/9 PER PAIR.
Ladies' Shoe Dept., Second Floor, Pitt-street.

THE FRONT-LACING

GOSSARD CORSETS, 13/6, 18/6.

In response to the inquiry for those extremely convenient front-lacing Corsets Farmer's have arranged with the H. W. Gossard Company to supply serviceable makes in correct figure-shapes at the above prices.
The Gossard Corsets, in addition to their excellent front-lacing virtues, are anatomically